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FEDERAL FOOTNOTES

EXPLAINING THE PERTURBATIONS OF THE NATION.

All Agog Among the Noisy Patriots of the Union—The Men Who Plead and the Men Who Promise—The Report of the Comptroller—The Capitol and the White House, Etc.

WASHINGTON, December 5.—[Special]—To-day's events in the house demonstrate that the republicans mean to use their power unrelentingly. At one time it seemed that Messrs. Wheeler, of Alabama, and Chalmers, of Mississippi, would be left to scuffle outside with their contestants. There seems to be a determination to purge the house of every democrat over whose title there is the least shadow, but the minority is so large that it can delay this work indefinitely.

Mr. Randall led it well to-day, and the democrats are satisfied with the result of the first day's fight. Mr. Hill offered in the senate, by request, a bill relative to the Venezuelan award.

The president's message will be read to-morrow. It is said to be very long, and touches some delicate questions.

General Hazen says he will establish one hundred new signal stations in the south at once to secure more accurate reports from the cotton crop. He thinks with the solid support of the southern members he can get the necessary congressional appropriation. Dr. Cary leaves for Atlanta to-night, with seventeen hundred carp. Professor Baird promises more soon, and is highly pleased with the result of the carp culture in Georgia.

In and Around the Capitol.

WASHINGTON, December 4.—[Special Correspondence Constitution.]—The capital has thrown off its long lethargy and is once more putting on airs before the nation.

Congress will open with unusual gayety and with the prospect of a long, excited and important session. Everything is absorbed in the interest felt in the doings and sayings of the wise men to whom the people have delegated these arduous toils. Even the ghastly Guiteau sensation has passed into second-rate importance as a matter of gossip, and the poor wretch is performing his antics to less appreciative audiences than he has hitherto had.

Yesterday was a day of caucuses. The wire-puller was in his glory and the political trader had a picnic.

The speakership business looks ugly. Hiscock came here the choice of more republican representatives than any other man, and the choice of a good majority of them over Keifer. The last two days did the business.

It seems that the administration is imbued with the characteristic vindictiveness and the stolid assumacy of Grant. Poor Hiscock's political sins were hauled up from the grave wherein his penitence seemed to have buried them and were paraded as ghosts to frighten the timid from his support. The scarecrow worked well. By 10 o'clock yesterday the best friends of the genial New Yorker knew that he was doomed and could only protest by a firm stand for their friend until the avalanche came. After all it may be best. Keifer is not the man that Hiscock is, and the leaders of a powerful minority may find his sway less potent than would have been that of his rival. But there are sad suggestions connected with this affair. We are evidently going to have a live administration. It clearly proposes to have a hand in all that is going on in this country and Arthur has already shown that he will not scruple to interfere whenever his artful ways or his strong influence are needed. Grant has been shy of Washington since he was rebuked at Chicago, but he will "bob up serenely" now, since he can use the royal "we" and link himself to the administrative power. With him and Arthur at the helm, and old man Davis sitting next, congratulating himself on the beauty of an independence which has paid so well, we have a pleasing prospect for the next three years. There are already signs that this thing is telling on the people. In the vessel of republican peace rancors have fallen and every day embitters the factions. It is hardly better with the democrats. They fussed in their caucus yesterday over the tariff.

Randall has come here more fully imbued with protection views than ever, and as the leader of the minority, will be as actively the champion of monopoly as he was in the chair. He and his friends are so aggressive that it is thought they will even try to whirl the party to their line. Knott, of Kentucky, offered some resolutions in the caucus which meant nothing but a rap on Randall's knuckles, and they were rejected. Colonel Hammond opposed them as being inopportune.

Properly managed, the democratic minority will be able to do much, but the chances are in favor of the same lack of concert which made its majority so ineffectual. Randall will be the nominal leader. As a parliamentarian and a director of minor tactics he is very strong. But can he always look back of him and see a solid line? I am afraid his horn is not as inspiriting as Rhoderick Dhu's.

Georgia is here with eleven good men ready for the long session.

Mr. Hill looks strong and cheerful. He weighs within one pound of his best record. His tongue has ceased to trouble him and his physicians say the danger is past. He has shaven his chin clean but wears a batch of whiskers on each cheek bone.

Senator Brown has taken elegant quarters at the Metropolitan, which seems to be headquarters for Georgia. He seems to anticipate the coming session very cheerfully, and cannot be classed among the sombre hued democrats.

Mr. Stephens has recently been troubled with what he calls "an excrescence" which attacked the left side of his face, near the temple. The doctors say it was merely a tetter, but if let alone might have run into a bad sore. They performed a severe operation with knife and acid, the patient standing it like a man of stone with no anesthetic, unless a few drops of whisky could be so called. The cure is permanent.

Among the men who will partake of the fresh feast of republican spoils is Colonel Jack Brown, of Georgia, who some time ago appeared for door-keeper of the house. He is said to have developed enough strength to give him a prominent position before the caucus of southern republicans, which successfully pushed Walter Brownlow for the place. Colonel Brown will be nicely cared for. Rainey, the South Carolina negro, was treated to a full supply of taffy and then told that he was not good enough for clerk.

Republican love for the negro is fruitful of beautiful rhetoric but is singularly barren of tangible results. F. H. R.

The National Banks.

WASHINGTON, December 6.—The comptroller of the currency, in his annual report to the secretary of the treasury, made public to-day, says eighty-six national banks were organized during the year ended November 1, with an authorized capital of $9,651,050, to which $5,233,580 in circulating notes have been issued. This is the largest number of banks organized in any year since 1872. Twenty-six banks, with an aggregate of $2,020,00, have voluntarily discontinued business during the year. There were no failures of national banks during the period from June 19th, 1880 to November 1st, of the present year. The national banks are located in every state of the union, except Mississippi, and in every territory except Arizona, the total number in operation in October last being 2,132. This is the greatest number which have ever been in operation at any one time. The estimated losses to creditors from the failures of national banks, during the 18 years since the passage of the act is $6,240,000, and the average annual loss has, therefore, been about $346,000 in a business of corporations, having an average capital of about $450,000,000, and deposits averaging about $800,000,000. Twenty-one of these insolvent banks have paid their creditors in full, and 40 of them have paid more than 75 per cent each. The individual liabilities of the shareholders of the insolvent banks had been enforced in fifty-three instances, and about $2,706,000 has been collected from this source.

After presenting the usual comparative tables showing the past and present condition of the national banks, the comptroller discusses the question of the expiration of the charters of the banks, and recommends that an act be passed during the present session authorizing any national bank, with the approval of the comptroller, at any time within two years prior to the date of the expiration of its corporate existence, to extend its period of succession for twenty years, by amending its articles of association. The comptroller then said the increase of national bank notes during the year ended November 1st last, was $16,510,143. This, together with the increase of gold coin, $108,686,279, and of silver coin, $27,716,454, makes a total increase of coin and bank notes of $152,912,876.

Under the head of "private bankers," the comptroller reports there are in the United States and territories 3,038 private bankers, with an aggregate capital of $93,000,000 and the aggregate deposits of $241,000,000.

The report closes with the series of tables showing the amount of interest bearing funded debt of United States, and the amount held by the national banks and tables of national and state taxation.

Upon the subject of taxation the comptroller says: The amount paid by the national banks to the treasury of the United States for taxes on capital and deposits during the year, ended the 30th June last, was $5,372,178, and the amount paid by banks other than national banks, to the commissioner of internal revenue, was $3,757,912. The value of two cent check stamps issued during the fiscal year was $2,366,081. The total amount of bank taxes which it is recommended should be abated, was $11,496,171, which amount is much less than the annual increase of internal revenue during the past two years. The reason that has during the past been urged against the repeal of these laws, namely, that the amount produced was necessary for the support of the government and for the payment of the public debt has long since lost its force, and a repeal of these laws has already been recommended, both by the secretary of the treasury and the commissioner of internal revenue.

GUITEAU'S FOURTH WEEK.

His Dread of the People—Touching Insanity.

WASHINGTON, December 5.—Guiteau was brought to the court house a little later than usual, and court was not opened until 11 o'clock. An immense crowd had gathered on the sidewalk, and when Guiteau alighted from the van he evinced the usual trepidation, and begged the officers to take him around the back entrance. He was assured that the escort was ample for his safety, and with trembling steps and cringing gait quickly shuffled through the angry crowd. Abject fear was depicted upon his sallow countenance, and it was several minutes after he reached his room before he regained his usual composure.

Ex-Speaker Randall appeared in answer to a subpoena, but was at a loss to know why he had been summoned.

Immediately after opening court Mr. Scoville called to the stand Dr. James Kennon, of Chicago. Before any questions could be asked the witness, Guiteau desired to address the court, and without waiting for assent or dissent on part of the court, said in quick nervous tones: "I want these expert witnesses to pass upon this point, Where a man is impelled to do any unlawful act by a power which he cannot possibly control or overrule, and by which his moral agency is dominated, is he to be considered sane or insane."

Judge Cox—We will have that question discussed.

The witness said that he was managing editor of the Chicago Medical Review and lecturer upon mental diseases at the Chicago medical schools. He delivered his first lecture last April. Witness replied to a hypothetical question predicated upon the trustworthiness of the evidence to which he had listened, that he had no doubt of the prisoner's insanty.

Witness admitted that when a man committed a crime while acting under the delusion of the Divine inspiration and then conducted himself precisely as a criminal would do it, would be presumptive evidence against his insanity.

Guiteau, who had been quietly but intently following witness, here broke in rather excitedly, saying: "Nothing of the kind in this case, Judge."

Davidge—Well, we will see.

Guiteau (angrily)—You're going too fast in this matter—we want facts, not your judgment, witness here understood one thing right, the Lord injects inspiration and lets the man use his own judgment, that's just my case, that's the way I got the inspiration. The Lord don't employ fools to do his. He gets the best material.

Davidge then put a still stronger hypothetical case, using the term like a common, vulgar criminal. Guiteau turned to Davidge with an air of immense superiority and said: "There's nothing vulgar about this case; its all hightoned." [Laughter, quickly suppressed by the court.] Witness thought an insane man in carrying out inspiration would act according to the peculiarities of his manners and temperament, although there were types of insanity where a man's general character became changed. The witness gave scientific names.

Richard J. Hinton, editor of the Washington Gazette, had seen the prisoner at republican headquarters in New York, and formed the opinion that he was an exceedingly illy balanced and cranky egotist. The witness was asked what he thought of the prisoner's speech, "Garfield and Hancock," and replied that, in his opinion, it was a ridiculous, disjointed affair.

Guiteau, who had smiled complacently when witness came upon the stand, became very much incensed and shouted out: "Well, it was not anything of the kind. You don't know what you are talking about; my speech received the indorsement of the best men in the country."

Witness resumed by saying that the prisoner seemed to be a perfect nuisance about the rooms, but was interrupted by Guiteau, who said: "You were a nuisance yourself. I would rather be hung as a man than acquitted as a fool, and I won't have any more of this kind of evidence." Witness added, he was a laughing stock, so far as I could see. Guiteau became greatly enraged, and turning to Scoville, shouted: "If you put any more of these crank fellows on the stand, I'll score you again. It was a great piece of impudence on your part to put Judge Davis on the stand without consulting me."

Upon the hypothetical case, put by Mr. Scoville, Guiteau was pronounced insane by the following physicians: Dr. Charles H. Nichols, Bloomingdale asylum, New York; Dr. Charles F. Folsom, Howard university; Dr. Salem Wooster, Salem, Massachusetts; Dr. Wm. Godding, Saint Elizabeths asylum, Washington; Dr. James H. McBride, Milwaukee; Dr. Walter Channing and Dr. Theodore Fisler, Massachusetts.

Guiteau announced that he wanted Grant and Conkling summoned. Adjourned.

The Louisiana Legislature.

NEW ORLEANS, December 5.—The extra session of the legislature convened to-day. Governor McEnery, in his message, after alluding to the death of President Garfield and Governor Wiltz, and paying an appropriate tribute to their memories, proceeded to discuss matters requiring legislative action, and which necessitated the calling of an extra session, the most important objects being to provide an adequate revenue for the state, and make the required appropriations. In conclusion the governor says: "There is no reason for the continued cry of poor Louisiana and her impoverished people. We must realize the fact that she is rich and force her to the front rank of the states. Her assessment roll for 1880 shows a valuation of $177,090,459, and for 1881, $151,660,201. This is wrong and should be corrected. Such valuations do us no credit when the property of this state is thoroughly assessed, even at two thirds of its value, it will show a valuation of quite $300,000,000. The constitutional limit on taxation will then be more than sufficient. Taxes can then be reduced, the state government sustained and our state debt annually decreased. Confidence will be restored, our bonds will be on the market at a reasonable interest and commanding a premium. Capital will rapidly find its way here and we will no longer be humiliated at the low credit of our state.

Burning of the Tennessee Penitentiary.

NASHVILLE, December 5.—[Special.]—A disastrous fire broke out this afternoon at 3:30 in the agricultural and manufacturing departments of the Tennessee penitentiary, located in this city, entirely destroying those departments with their contents, consisting of large quantities of wagons and furniture. The penitentiary proper, where the convicts were confined at night, was uninjured. There is some conflict as to the origin of the fire, one convict stating that he saw another fire the buildings, but the general impression is that it was caused by a convict accidentally dropping a hot bolt into a tub of tar near the bolting machine. Of seven hundred and thirty convicts, only fifteen escaped. The loss falls principally on Cherry, O'Conner & Co., lessees. Their loss is about $300,000; insurance $50,000. The state's loss is not known, but $50,000 is a low estimate, with no insurance.

The Small-Pox in the North

ST. LOUIS, December 5.—The secretary of the state board of health of California, writes to Health Commissioner Francis, of St. Louis, to say that that state has quarantined against Chicago. Trains on the Central Pacific road have introduced small-pox in five counties along the line in California, and the writer states that in every case the disease can be traced to Chicago arrivals. He adds, for the commissioner's information, that cases of small-pox exists along the railroad between St. Joseph, Mo., and Council Bluffs, and he had no doubt, after a careful investigation of the matter, it would appear that the disease was brought from Chicago. In St. Louis there is any amount of small-pox, but the authorities are keeping it quiet at quarantine. At one time here were twenty-six cases.

Death of Colonel Wilde.

NEW YORK, December 5.—Colonel Richard Penn Wilde died to-day of Bright's disease of the kidneys. He was born in Louisiana in 1852, and was the grandson of R. H. Wilde, of Georgia, and great grandson of General James Wilkinson, at one time general in chief of the United States army. He was at one time connected with the New Orleans Times, and was elected to the legislature of Louisiana in 1876. In 1877 he was appointed lieutenant colonel of the First Louisiana regiment. His remains will be forwarded to Louisiana.

FOREIGN FLASHES.

ANTI-JEWISH riots continue in Russia.

MISS REYNOLDS, the Irish lady agitator, has been arrested.

THE movement for the nonpayment of rents is extending in Ireland.

47TH CONGRESS.

REASSEMBLING OF THE FEDERAL LAW-GIVERS.

David Davis Gets His End of the House Ready, and Gives it an Early Adjournment—The House Elects Keifer Speaker, and Immediately Forms Itself Into a Beer Garden.

WASHINGTON, December 5.—The first regular session of the forty-seventh congress began to-day, and both houses were called to order at noon.

THE SENATE.

In the senate, after the usual interchange of friendly greetings by members, President pro tem Senator Davis, of Illinois, formally convened the chamber, and after prayer by the chaplain, presented the credential of Senator elect William Windom, of Minnesota, chosen to fill the vacancy caused by his resignation, for the term ending March 3d, 1883, said vacancy having been temporarily filled by the appointment of ex-Senator Edgerton. After the reading of the credentials, Senator Windom, accompanied by Senator Hoar, appeared, was duly qualified and entered upon his duties.

Resolutions for committees of notification to the house of representatives and the president, informing them of the organization of the senate, were adopted.

The annual reports of the acting secretary of the senate, the sergeant-at-arms of the senate, the chief clerk of the court of claims, and the public printer, were presented by the chair and laid on the table.

The hour of meeting daily was fixed at 12 m.

A number of bills were introduced, and the senate then took a recess until 2:30 p. m.

On reassembling Mr. Edmunds offered a resolution continuing the committees as now constituted.

Mr. Pryor offered an amendment requesting the president of the senate to decide whether the committees should be divided equally between the two political parties or not.

Without a decision the senate adjourned.

The message will not therefore go in to-day.

THE HOUSE.

The house met at noon and the roll was called, showing four members absent.

Mr. Keifer was elected speaker, and the swearing in of the members was proceeded with.

Considerable discussion has ensued over the contested seats and still continues.

Two hundred and ninety members answered to the roll call, the absentees being Mosse, Scales and Deuster.

The vote for speaker was: Kiefer, 148; Randall, 129; Ford, 8. Necessary to a choice, 143.

Messrs. Falkerson and Paul, of Virginia, readjusters voted for Keifer.

Upon calling the states for swearing in the new members, Mr. Jones, of Texas, objected to swearing Joseph Wheeler, of Alabama, and after some dispute Wheeler stepped aside. Mr. Springer, of Illinois, objected to Mr. Butts, of Iowa; Van Voorhis, of New York, to Mr. King, of Louisiana, and King to Van Voorhis; Springer to Wadsworth, of New York, and Calkins, of Indiana, to Dibble, of South Carolina. Next Moore, of Tennessee, in a dramatic fashion, objected to Chalmers, of Mississippi. Bragg, of Wisconsin, imitating the words anb tone of Moore, in turn objected to Moore. All objected to stood aside, and the remainder were sworn in and Jones, of Texas, took the floor to state his objectioks to Wheeler, and offered a resolution referring the matter to the committee on elections. Tabled, on motion of Mr. Randall, by almost a unanimous viva voce vote.

Objections were then withdrawn in all cases except those of Chalmers and Dibble, and all but these two were sworn in. Chalmers was also sworn after some further skirmishing.

Mr. Calkins then called up the case of Dibble, of South Carolina, and offered a resolution referring the matter to the committee on elections when appointed. He gave a statement of the circumstances under which Dibble was elected, and contended that there was no vacancy, inasmuch as it might be hat Mackey had originally been. Adopted.

Mr. Brown, of Indiana, took the opposite ground and argued that Dibble had as good a prima facie right to a seat as any other member.

Mr. Evans, of South Carolina, moved to lay Mr. Calkins' resolution on the table, and it being agreed to Mr. Dibble appeared and qualified.

Mr. McPherson was then elected clerk, the vote being Mr. McPherson, 148; Mr. Adams, 129; Mr. Delamater, 9.

Messrs. Hooker, Brownlow and Sherwood were then elected sergeant-at-arms, doorkeeper and postmaster on one vote and all the officer were sworn in.

Hiscock, Orth and Reagan were appointed a committee to wait on the president.

Fred D. Powers, of Washington, was then elected chaplain.

The house then adjourned.

The Department of Justice.

WASHINGTON, December 5.—A report from the department of justice is given to the public. It recommends the abolition of fees to United States district attorneys and assistants and placing them on salaries. It estimates the expenses of the United States courts for the fiscal year ending in 1883 at $3,005,000; recommends that one session of each United States court for the district of Mississippi be transferred from Jackson to Vicksburg; also recommends an appropriation for the payment of the special deputy marshals at last year's elections.

The Chairmanships.

WASHINGTON, December 5.—[Special.]—Nothing can be learned with certainty to night concerning the chairmanship of the various committees of the house. The impression prevails, however, that Judge Kelley, of Pennsylvania, will be appointed chairman of the ways and means committee, Mr. Hiscock appropriations, Mr. Kasson foreign affairs, Robeson naval affairs, and either Crape, of Massachusetts, or Townsend, of Ohio, chairman of banking and currency. Dunnell is mentioned as the probable chairman of the committee on public lands.

CRIME AND CASUALTY.

Depicting the Wickedness and the Carelessness of Mankind.

ST. PAUL, Minn., December 5.—At 4 o'clock this morning fire broke out in the milling district of Minneapolis, destroying before it was subdued four large flouring mills and one cotton mill, and causing the death of least four men. The fire broke out in Pillsbury's flouring mill, owned and operated by C. A. Pillsbury & Co. It communicated to the Excelsior mill, owned by Dorillus Morris and operated by C. A. Pillsbury & Co.; to the Minneapolis mill, owned and operated by Croker, Fisk & Co., which exploded, killing Neil Frederick, first assistant engineer of the fire department. The fire then communicated to the Empire mill, onwed by L. F. Watson, of Massachusetts, and operated by C. A. Pillsbury & Co.

The roof of a cotton mill near by owned by Dorillus & Morrison, and it was also consumed, together with a trestle work in rear of the mills and several freight cars filled with wheat. The fire had communicated to the mill of Crocker, Fisk & Co., when an explosion occurred and levelled the walls of the structure, crushing the elevated railroad track in front of the mill, killing three persons and injuring one fatally and several others in less degree. The loss may be summarized as follows; Pillsbury's mill $140,000, Empire mill $125,000, Crocker, Fisk & Co.'s mill, 125,000; Excelsior mill $100,000; cotton mill 40,000. Pillsbury & Co. on stocks $20,000; Crocker, Fisk & Co., on stocks $8,000; H. Hampkiert on stock $10,000. Total $568,000.

MUSKEGON, Mich., December 5.—A few days ago a half-breed-individual calling himself Red River Jack, alias Tucker, arrived in this city and commenced his practice as a medicine man. He came from Bay City, where he had been treating a patient named Mrs. Julia Brandimore. Shortly after Tucker's departure from Bay City Mrs. Brandimore wished to visit some friends in Detroit, saying that her cousin (a woman) would go with her. Her husband consented and followed her to the depot, where he ascertained that the woman had bought tickets to Muskegon. Becoming suspicious, the husband telegraphed a friend here, asking him if Red River Jack was here. The friend replied in the affirmative, and Brandimore, the husbaed, started for Muskegon. He arrived yesterday, and last night met his wife and the Indian doctor on the street, and soon ascertained that they were living as man and wife at the Muskegon exchange. He hunted up Prosecuting-Attorney De Long last night and swore out a warrant against the culprits. Chief-of-Police Newelll accompanied by the husband, visited the hotel and learned that the parties were in bed. The officer went to the room, broke in the door, and found Mrs. Brandimore and Red River Jack sound asleep in each other's arms. A scene followed. The Indian took the matter coolly, but the wife was much affected. Both are in jail and will be arraigned to-morrow. The woman in the case is small, delicate, young, and fair-looking, while her paramour has nothing to recommend him.

GRIFFIN, December 5.—A terrible tragedy occurred near here Saturday night—Mr. Jesse Alexander, a worthy citizen of Spalding county, being the victim. He was in town Saturday and that night started home down the Central railroad. When about a mile from town, it is supposed he laid down on the track and went to sleep, when the up night passenger came along, ran over and crushed him into a shapeless mass. His neck and back were broken, his left leg mashed off below the knee and his right foot cut off. One of his arms was run over and his other hand mashed into a jelly. Besides this the back of his skull was crushed and a hole torn into his side. Some negroes discovered the body, but were afraid to move it. Another freight train came along shortly afterward, and though the negroes tried to wave it down with lights, it went on and ran over the body also. Mr. Alexander was an unfortunate victim to drink, and this was the direct cause of his horrible end. He was a brother to Colonel J. D. Alexander, of the Middle Georgia Times, Thomaston. The coroner's verdict was in accordance with the above facts.

DENVER, Col., December 5.—A Tribune Durango special says a man named Magle, two brothers named Chapman and two others whose names are unknown several days ago left Ophir to walk to Silverton and have not been heard from since. The snow on the range is over three feet deep, and it is believed they have perished. A party has gone in search of the missing men.

A special to the Tribune from Leadville says: In the Gold Park mining camp, four days ago, Harry Weston, foreman of the Gold Park Mining company, was shot and killed by one Bagley, a dsscharged blacksmith. Bagley also made an unsuccessful attempt to shoot Superintendent Turney. He then fortified himself in his cabin, which was immediately surrounded by a mob. The cabin was besieged for eight hours without dislodging its occupant. Finally a large quantity of giant powder was placed near the door and ignited. The explosion which followed tore the cabin to pieces. Bagley was found with a bullet hole through his heart, having evidently committed suicide.

NEW ORLEANS, December 5.—A special to the Times-Democrat from Vicksburg reports the killing of J. D. McGraft, a planter and storekeeper at Sunnyside landing, by Samuel Cole, a half crazy negro.

Thomas Chalon, aged 25 years, was accidentally shot and killed by James McDavitt, aged 16 years, yesterday.

Gasoline ignited at the Crescent City railroad stables on Water street, near Louisiana avenue, while filling the gas machine, destroying the stable and contents, including fifty animals, harness, feed, stuff, etc. Loss, $30,000; fully insured.

CHICAGO, December 5.—This morning Frank Banke, a tailor, cut his young child's throat from ear to ear with a butcher knife, killing the infant instantly and then endeavored to kill himself. He cut a great gash in his throat and stabbed himself several times in the stomach. The physicians say his wounds are not necessarily fatal. Banke had been out of employment for some time and had become despondent. He bought the knife at night.

GALVESTON, Texas, December 5.—A special to the News from Sherman says: The livery stable of Benjamin Brewer was destroyed by fire here today. Loss on the building, $15,000.

The earnings of the Gulf, Colorado and Santa Fe railroad for November were $131,424; for the same month last year $75,727.

DETROIT, December 5.—An old German milk vendor, Christian Ternes, was brutally murdered last night by Charles Martin, a young iron moulder. Martin was drunk and for an angry word knocked Ternes down and kicked and stamped him until his skull was crushed. Martin was arrested but pretends that he knows nothing about the murder.

LIEUTENANT FLIPPER'S SERVANT.

Her Account of How She Happened to Have the Bills and Receipts in Her Possession.

FORT DAVIS, Texas, December 5.—The defense in the trial of Lieutenant Flipper resumed the introduction of testimony Saturday, and called Lucy E. Smith, who testified that she was Flipper's servant, and had since her return to the post, about a month prior to the difficulty, roomed with Mrs. Alsah in another house. She kept a portion of her clothing in a chest and a trunk. The latter had no lock, and was stored in Flipper's tent with his permission. Flipper always carried the key to his trunk, and she never opened it without his knowledge. On August 13 she asked for the key to the trunk to put away Flipper's washing and to take out some of her clothing. While in the house she was always cautioned to be careful of his papers and to lock the house, as, being his servant, she would be held responsible for any loss. On the morning in question she went to the trunk and took out some personal clothing and put away the washing. The woman helping her she did not trust, and, not being through with the trunk, she took two envelopes out and put them in the bosom of her dress, intending to return them as soon as she was through her work, and then lock the trunk. Flipper frequently said: "Lucy, don't go away and leave the trunk open; be very careful and keep it locked, and when you go away, give me back the keys." No particular reason was given for the caution, and he never told her what was in the trunk or anything about these papers.

Witness said that Flipper never said anything to her about his business. She was innocent, and he had no business to talk to her on such subjects. She never dressed herself in Flipper's quarters, but always at Mr. Alsah's. She could not remember anything about the steps taken to get her out of jail. On re-examination, she said her friends took the necessary steps to release her. She never spent a night in Flipper's quarters.

A Special Secret Mission.

NEW YORK, December 5.—Secretary Blaine's son, Walker Blaine, who is third assistant secretary of state, William H. Prescott, and their private secretary, arrived from Washington early this morning. The private secretary reached the vessel about noon. He was provided with three first-class passenger tickets to Panama. It is learned that Messrs. Blaine and Prescott were bound respectively to Chili and Peru, on a special mission from the state department.

Taylor's Last Marriage.

SALT LAKE, December 5.—[Special.]—The Salt Lake Tribune says on Mormon authority that John Taylor, head of the Mormon, church was married to a wealthy widow last month. The ceremony was performed in the new Mormon temple at St. George. The Tribune also says that the marriage was in defiance of law and would not have been tolerated at Salt Lake City.

A HALF MILLION ACRES.

A Sale of Mississippi Lands by Which the Gordons Made Thirty Thousand Dollars.

Colonel F. C. Morehead, president of the National Cotton Planters' association, gives THE CONSTITUTION information of a most important land sale made in Mississippi a few days ago.

Colonel Eugene C. Gordon, president of the Georgia Pacific road, bought, about one month ago, 500,000 acres of Mississippi lands, known as overflowed lands. It requires in Mississippi thirty days' notice before a purchase of lands can be consummated. Colonel Gordon made this notice in the customary way. Before the time had come when the purchase could be closed he had an offer for the entire lot of land that gave him a profit of over thirty thousand dollars. An English company was the bidder and after a day of consultation, the trade was closed and the money paid in the office of Latham, Alexander & Co., in New York. The price paid by Colonel Gordon for the lands, was eight cents an acre we believe, and he sold at about 14 cents an acre—a net profit of 6 cents an acre on thirty thousand dollars on the half million acres. The English company intends to reclaim the lands at once and colonize them or cultivate them as soon as possible. There are several other companies now looking after Mississippi valley lands. Mr Ed Richardson, the great cotton king, was asked to make figures on one of his places the other day by an English company. He offered the plot at $175,000, and our informant stated that he had little doubt that the trade had been closed before this. The late interest excited in cotton planting and in the profits from intelligent planting is attracting the attention of the world, and all the surplus land in the south will be taken up in a few years.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

BARON STEUBEN has named his infant son, born on Friday, Blaine Steuben.

SENATOR DAVID DAVIS's Bloomington relatives deny that he is going to marry again.

AN extra police force is again stationed in Downing street to protect Mr. Gladstone's residence.

TIMOTHY BRENNAN, who, for more than twenty-seven years, was prominently identified with the public school interests of New York, is dead.

IN New York, Willie Blake, aged 3 years, poured kerosene oil over an infant brother in the cradle and then set fire to the fluid, and the child was burned to death.

THE dwelling of J. J. Furrow, three miles from Winterset, Iowa, was burned at midnight. Three daughters, Mary, Annie and Laura, aged 9, 12 and 17 years, sleeping up stairs, were burned to death.

STOLEN BONES.

A GENUINE SENSATION IN THE LAND O' CAKES.

The Body of the Earl of Crawford and Balcarres Stolen from the Family Mausoleum—Who the Late Earl Was—The Details of the Robbery—The Pursuit of the Criminals.

LONDON, December 5.—The startling news of the stealing of the body of the earl of Crawford and Balcarres is the subject of universal discussion. The body was stolen from the family mausoleum at Dunecht, near Aberdeen. She died in Florence in December, 1880, and his body was embalmed, transported to Scotland and interred in the vault beneath the private chapel. This was the first interment in that place. After the burial the vault was closed by heavy stone slabs, six feet square, and then covered with earth and planted with flowers. The most extraordinary feature of the case is that in May the agent for the present earl of Crawford and Balcarres received an anonymous letter informing him what the tomb had been opened and the body removed, but, regarding the matter as a hoax, he took no notice of it and did not even make inquiries, although during the summer a strong smell was noticed issuing from the vault, which was attributed to the decay of the flowers. The body snatchers unscrewed the outer casket and chiselled away the ends of the others. The remains of the earl were dragged out feet foremost. The silver mountings of the coffin were untouched, the object of the violators being evidently ransom. No suspicion exists in Aberdeen as to who are the perpetrators, but doubtless the relatives will soon receive information that the body will be restored on the payment of ransom.

The latest intelligence from Aberdeen respecting the grave robbery states that three persons' footmarks have been traced but it is believed that there must be more than that number concerned in the removal of the earl's remains from Dunecht, if not in the actual theft of the body from the vault. Inquiries have been made of the railway officials, who say that they have no trace of any package which would be likely to contain a human body. The present earl and others of the family have from time to time received a number of anonymous letters stating that the late earl's body had been removed, but no notice was taken, as it was not thought that the writers were serious. The vault is now guarded by a strong force of police. Every precaution has been taken against the entrance of any unauthorized person. A laborer in the locality has been arrested, and the sheriff and procurator fiscal have gone to make the necessary investigations. The man's boots correspond with the footprints found near the tomb, casts of which have been taken. It seems more than probable that the removal of the body must have taken place months ago. The coffin when it was found rifled of its contents was covered with dust and mildew. The dust which had fallen from the saw employed to cut open the coffin was hidden by a fungoid growth. The edges of the cut leaden shell were not bright as they would have been had the depredation been newly committed, but were dull and blackened by lapse of time. Lord Crawford has placed the matter in the hands of his London solicitors, who have been in communication with the home office and with Scotland Yard on the subject. All sorts of theories are current as to the theft. It is even asserted that the body never actually reached the country. It is suggested that the thieves are from Florence, where the body was embalmed. The Dowager countess and family are at Dunecht, and tha present earl arrived from the continent yesterday. The papers recall many singular circumstances connected with the body of the late earl, which met with curious misfortunes on the way to the last resting place. In the first place there was immense difficulty in transporting it across the Alps; then there was a violent gale in crossing the channel. The coffin had to be lashed on deck. Then at Aberdeen no hearse was found large enough for it, and the outer shell had to be removed. Lastly, on the day of the removal from Aberdeen to Dunecht, in one of the most violent snow storms ever known, the hearse was snowed up on the journey for several days.

EXPOSITION FACTS.

Among the Delegates.

Colonel Ben. S. Ricks, of Yazoo, Miss., is on hand as a member of the executive committee. Colonel Ricks is next to Mr. Richardson the largest cotton planter in the south, raising this year about 2,000 bales. He owns about 20,000 acres of good Mississippi land, on which he has a force of about 800 laborers. He is a believer in the big plantation system, and has some stubborn facts with which to back his belief. A stalwart Mississippian of commanding presence, it will be hard to overthrow him in the debate if he can be persuaded to chip in.

Judge Winchester, of Natchez, one of the most intelligent planters in the south, and a lawyer of fine reputation, is in attendance upon the planter's convention and will take a leading part in its deliberations.

Captain Thomas M. Smedes hails from Deer Creek, Mississippi, which is one of the richest farming sections in the world. He is a man of fine appearance, affable manner and is thoroughly posted on everything pertaining to the cotton plantations. He raises a surplus of corn and small crops and this year will market about 1,400 bales of cotton. He hesitates between the big plantations and the small farm systems, but will give weight to whatever side he takes.

Mr. George Foster, of Louisiana, who is probably the largest cotton planter in that state, arrived last night, with a delegation of Louisiana cotton planters. He raises nearly one thousand bales of cotton per annum, and believes in the big plantation system. He is a member of the executive committee and is devoted to the association.

Mr. J. W. Corcoran, of Pine Bluff, Arkansas, telegraphs that he is en route to Atlanta with a large delegation of Arkansas planters. He is a nephew of the great philanthropist, W. W. Corcoran and plants more than a thousand acres in cotton.

F. S. Shields, of Louisiana, who contests with Mr. Foster the first place in the ranks of Louisiana cotton raisers is also on hand and in fine trim for the session. Mr. Shields is in many respects the best type of the southern planter and we expect to get many interesting points of information from him.

Mr. William Porcy, of Greenville, Mssissippi, is in the city on attendance on the conuention and furnishes a fine example of how a man of big brains, fine character and large energy can carry on successfully a law practice and a cotton plantation. He has combined the two in perfection.

There are many other distinguished men in attendance on this convention who will come to the front as the occasion offers, and who will be impaled upon this reporter's pencil as fast as he can find them.

More Rooms Wanted

TO ACCOMMODATE THE VAST CROWDS THAT ARE REACHING THE CITY.

At midnight Colonel Mark A. Hardin was met at the Kimball house. He had just completed a canvass of the hotels and a number of boarding houses. He said he had rooms for one hundred and four only, and that would about take in the crowds on the midnight trains. Those arriving on the early morning and day trains he would not be able to supply with accommodations, unless the citizens would come out early this morning and register to take care of some of those who are coming. The train to arrive on the state road this morning at 4 o'clock is coming in two sections with twenty-two cars. It includes the Mississippi press excursion and nearly all the passengers on it and on later trains will have to be accommodated.

We hope there will be ample room offered this morning to comfortably care for all. The headquarters for the registering is in front of the main entrance to the depot, on Wall street.

This committee has decided to hold a reception at Concordia Hall on Marietta street next Wednesday night.

New England's Gala Day.

The expected presence of a large number of visitors from New England inspired the association of exhibitors from that section to make arrangements for a love feast, at which those citizens of Atlanta who could trace their lineage back to the Pilgrims, could meet their brethren of the present generation. Accordingly they met and appointed a committee to arrange for a reception to Ex-Governor Jewell, Lieutenant Governor Weston, of Massachusetts, and such other New Englanders as might arrive this week.

Cards of invitation will be issued by the committee, but for fear that some may be overlooked that are entitled to attend, the request is made that all resident New Englanders will please send their address to the office of the Wheeler & Wilson manufacturing company, 71 Whitehall street, to-day. Zetelle is to furnish the refreshments, and fine music will be provided. No doubt the sons and daughters of the pilgrims will have a good time.

The Gins at the Exposition.

Among the cotton gin exhibits at the exposition, is that of E. Van Winkle & Co., of this city. These gentlemen have two gins on exhibition which have been in constant operation since the exposition opened. Their gins form a leading attraction, and deservedly so, for they are pronounced by men who know, equal to the very best gins in the market and have far outstripped many would-be rivals. The lint made is superior. Their feeding and condensing attachments are of the highest class. No man who is interested in cotton should fail to see these gins, which are the same in every respect as those manufactured for sale.

Warner's Great Worm Killer.

This morning on the arrival of the National cotton Planters' association at Judges' hall, there will be found waiting for them Captain Jack Warner, the great bugologist, of Texas, mounted on the steed of Colonel John Silvey, and ready to demonstrate an ability to use his great cotton-worm killer to deadly advantage. This is one of the practical discoveries of the age, and has attracted probably as much notice from visiting planters as any other thing connected with planting interests shown at the exposition.

The National Exhibitors.

The National association of exhibitors held a meeting at the capitol last night, at which the question for discussion was, "What lesson has been practically taught the American people by this exposition?" The discussion was very interesting, and will be continued at a special meeting on the night of Thursday week.

The Mississippi Editors.

The train bearing the Mississippi editors, which was to be here last night at 8 o'clock, did not reach the city until this morning at 4. The train came in two sections of ten coaches, each of which were overloded.

A Pleasing Scheme.

Yesterday the most pleasant feature of the exposition was the company of operatives of the Roswell factory, who came down under the escort of Colonel Robinson, the president of the company, and paid a visit to the exposition.

Brieflets.

The committee has arranged to send to each train that arrives after nightfall, men to take charge of visitors who will be shown to the public comfort headquarters and assigned traveling places.

Green Morrow, of punch and judy notoriety, has engaged Judges's hall and opened his show. He gave a complimentary performance yesterday.

A BLOODY OUTRAGE.

A Convicted Murderer, Armed by His Keepers, Murders a Woman.

The meagre details of a possibly brutal and villainous murder have reached the city. We are only able at this time to give the outlines of the crime, and even they are horrible and suggestive.

Alexander Ratteree is well-known in this community as a former employe of the Western & Atlantic railroad and a man of strong passions and desperate nature under conditions of excitement and ardent drink. Something over two years ago he killed a man at a house of ill fame in Dalton. The two had a row about the inmates of the house, and Ratteree made an assault with a heavy billet of wood upon his antagonist, and from his injuries the latter died soon after. Ratteree was tried for murder at the fall term 1879 of Whitfield superior court. He was ably defended and succeeded in having a verdict returned of involuntary manslaughter. For this he was sentenced to three years in the penitentiary and assigned to the camps of the Marietta and North Georgia railroad company.

Arrived there he was made a trusty by General Phillips and at one time had charge of the engine and train on the road. During this time he is reported to have made a terrible assault upon a colored man, that came near ending in the latter's death. This case was reported to Governor Colquitt by ex-Governor Smith and led, if we are not misinformed, to Rattaree being removed from the conduct of the train, where he was in daily contact with the public.

Since then little has been heard of him until Wednesday last, when he came to this city, en route to Buchanan, the county seat of Harralson county. It was somewhat a surprise, then, to know that he had been sent as a trusty, with all the powers of an officer, to receive a prisoner there confined and convey him to the convict camps.

Ratteree is addicted to excessive drink when the opportunity is afforded and when intoxicated is dangerous to any one with whom he may come into collision. it seems that he went hence to Buchanan and in that place on Thursday engaged in a drunken spree, riding about the streets to the terror of the citizens and making himself free with whomsoever he met. In this condition he is said to have rode up to the door of a Mrs. Bruce, near the town, and called her out. He made some inquiries of her and, as reported, wound up his questions with an indecent proposal. This was indignantly rejected and the frightened lady turned to escape and seek protection. At this point, it is said, Rattaree drew his revolver and fired at the lady, the ball striking in the left side of her back, under the shoulder-blade, and ranging toward the heart. She fell, terribly wounded, while Rattaree was at once pursued and promptly arrested.

The lady was desperately hurt and at the last accounts received she was not expected to survive. Her husband, who appeared promptly on the scene, endeavored to revenge her injury by visiting instant death on her assailant, but he was prevented from doing so. Ratteree was confined in Buchanan, but threats of lynching were so freely and loudly indulged in that it was thought best to remove him, and he was taken to Cedartown, where he now is in jail.

This crime and the peculiar circumstances surrounding it have produced no little comment, and it is probable that an investigation will be ordered into the practice of sending characters like Rattaree, themselves convicts for violent crimes, to do the work of peace officers.

Further particulars concerning this brutal assault have been sent for and will probably reach us by to-morrow.

THE CITY COUNCIL.

Election of Street Commissioners and School Commissioners.

The city council convened in regular session last night.

The balance sheet for the month showed the following as the amounts of appropriations on hand: Salary of officers, $4,187.65; public buildings and grounds, $254.34; streets and bridges, $317.43; cemetery, $508.97; public schools, $1,545.41; fire companies, $2.500; paupers and relief, $493.25; contingent, $21,977.78; gas and fixtures, $1,137.44; police, $9,002.06; water works, $5,387.47. Total, $47,311.80.

Several petitions were presented and referred.

The finance pay roll of audited accounts for the past month was salary of officers, $1,064.96; police, $3,102.20; public buildings and grounds, $1,420.77; cemetery, $148.30; paupers and relief, $1,00; gas and fixtures, $811.66; water works, $4,000; contingent, $1,432.20; total, $12,214.39. The committee on salaries submitted the following:

Resolved, That the salaries of each of the commissioners of streets and sewers for their respective terms, commencing January 1st, 1882, shall be $200 per annum, except that the member of said board of commissioners elected for either of said terms who shall serve as chairman thereof, shall receive as salary $600 for 1882, $800 for 1883, $1,000 for 1884.

Councilman Beattie offered a substitute fixing the salary at $200 per annum except the chairman. Councilman Knapp offered to amend the substitute by making the chairman's salary $400 per annum. Lost.

Councilman Beattie's substitute was then adopted.

This being the last meeting of the present council the following resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the salaries of our aldermen and five councilmen elected on Wednesday, December 7 shall be $200 each per annum.

The council took a recess in order to allow the aldermanic board an opportunity to consider resolutions relative to salaries. In their session the board concurred in the resolution fixing the salaries of the aldermen and five councilmen at $200, but disagreed with the resolution fixing the salaries of the street commissioners. The salary of members they fixed at $200 and of chairman at $300.

When the council reassembled a resolution concurring in the action of the aldermanic board as set out in the above paragraph was adopted.

The following gentlemen were chosen as election commissioners for to-morrow: First ward, W. F. Camp, S. D. Haslett and W. K. Booth; Second ward supplied; Third ward, T. R. Whitley, the other two supplied; Fourth ward, supplied; Fifth ward, J. C. Hollman and W. S. Simmons, other supplied.

The election of four members of the board of education to fill the chairs made vacant by the expiration of the terms of Hon. Joseph E. Brown, Hon. N. J. Hammond, Mr. R. D. Spalding and Mr. E. E. Rawson, was held. The election resulted in the re-election of all the old members as above named.

An election for commissioners of streets and sewers was then held and resulted in the selection of Wm. H. Venable for three years, John Berkele for two years, and M. E. Maher for one year. There were three ballots had.

Upon motion council adjourned.

AT THE EXPOSITION.

FACTS AND INCIDENTS OF THE DAY NOTED.

Opening of the Greatest Week of the Great Exhibition—The Farmers' Convention—New England Capitalists Still Pouring In—The Events of the Day—Notes of Interest.

Last Saturday night closed the most successful week of the exposition in point of cash receipts and general attendance. The receipts footed up over two thousand dollars in excess of the week before, although there was no special event to attract visitors.

Yesterday morning opened what is destined to be the greatest week of the exposition in our opinion. The great farmers' convention, which will last at least four days, will bring an immense crowd of visitors. while various smaller events will attract a large attendance. The exposition is fully in shape, every feature being in position and every piece of machinery in motion. The chances are that the present week will witness the largest crowds ever seen in the city of Atlanta. Excursions are coming from all quarters of the south and the north and west, while New England continues to send her delegations of capitalists in special cars, traveling like princes, almost every day.

Below will be found the events of yesterday with the gossip of the latest arrivals collected here and there by the reporters of THE CONSTITUTION.

The Planters' Convention.

THE OVERWHELMING ATTENDANCE—SOME IDEA OF THE PROGRAMME.

The planters' convention that is called to meet at Judges' hall to-morrow may already be scored a success. After much delay excursion rates were arranged for all parts of the south and no less than twenty-two excursions were advertised to reach Atlanta last night and this morning. Two or three excursions will not reach the city until 1 o'clock to-day. In a talk with Colonel Morehead, president of the association, he said:

"The planters' convention, which is being held here this week will be the most important convention ever held in this country, both in point of attendance and importance of the topics discussed. We are assured of delegates from every southern state and from nearly all of the cotton-growing counties. These men come with an earnest purpose to see what is to be seen and to perfect an organization of their association, the good effects of which they have already seen in a thousand ways."

"What will be the main points discussed by the convention?"

There are several points that will come up. One is the question as to whether small farms are really the best for our people or whether the secret of our prosperity lies only in large plantations. Dr. Loring, the commissioner of agriculture of the United States, is to deliver an address on small farmers. Many members of our association will take an opposite position, holding that large plantations of several thousand acres are the best for the southern people. The discussion on this point, which is entirely new, will develop some interesting details and facts. Those who believe that the old plantation system is the true one have fortified themselves from experience and observation and will offer both facts and theory to substantiate their positions. The convention will probably make a deliverance upon this subject. If it does it will raise the most famous discussion of the present decade."

Another point that we shall discuss is the establishment of a system by which we can get accurate and early reports from the cotton crop. The farmers are victimized year after year, from the simple fact that they don't know the size of the crop and sell their cotton under a misapprehension. For example, if the farmers only knew to-day how small the crop really is, they would hold their cotton until the truth was generally acknowledged and get from two to five cents a pound more for it. We think that by establishing a member of the convention of known character in every county and having him report on the crop in his locality as early as possible, we can get a report that will be accurate enough to inform the farmer at least as to when is the best time to sell his cotton and what prices he should get for it. It will certainly take the matter out of the hands of Wall street speculators. There are of course various other matters that will be discussed, but these are probably the two most important."

Delegations to convention arrived on every train yesterday, and last night they came in good large numbers. The official programme of the convention has been published already, and there is no need for us to reprint it to-day. We shall have a full report of the proceedings each morning until the convention adjourns.

Distinguished Visitors on Late Trains.

Colonel W. E. Barrows, of the Willimantic company, reached the city on his return trip on Sunday, to the delight of hundreds of friends in and about Georgia. Colonel Barrows is now on the home-stretch and will stay through the "show." He is accompanied by a solid and attractive Willimantic delegation, consisting of Mr. John Scott, superintendent of the Willimantic works; Mr. D. E. Potter, the master carpenter; Mr O. A. Atwood, the selling representative of the Willimantic in New York, and Dr. Hill, a leading physician of Willimantic. These gentlemen "took in the exposition" on yesterday, and were of course delighted. Colonel Barrows and Mr. Allison are doing the honors for Atlanta, and of course "America is still ahead," and the polls are closed.

Ex-Governor Marshall Jewell, of Connecticut reached Atlanta on Saturday, having been escorted to the gate city by ex-Governor Bullock and Judge Lochrane. The ex-governor is a guest of governor Bullock, where a few gentlemen met him at dinner yesterday evening. Governor Jewell is a man of high national reputation, and there are hundreds of Georgians who will be glad to meet him.

Mr. Frank W. Cheney, the head of the great firm of silk manufacturers, Cheney Bros., reached the city last night, after loitering on the way three or four days. The Cheneys are the greatest manufacturers of silk in America, and their beautiful display in the main exposition building, which is under the charge of Mr. Julius Pinney, has attracted universal attention, and challenges the best products of the mills of the old world. Mr. Cheney intends to stay only a day, but he will be fortunate if he gets away from Atlanta in a week.

Mr. Austin C. Dunham, one of the directors of the Willimantic linen company, came south in company with Mr. Cheney. Mr. Dunham is a large woolen manufacturer and successful man of affairs.

Mr. F. A. Leigh, of Boston, who represents several leading English manufacturers of cotton machinery, reached the city on yesterday. Mr. Leigh is a type of the best English business man—affable and courteous. Some of the firms he represents have exhibits in the exposition buildings that are a mere hint of what they can do in the way of perfect cotton machinery. Mr. Leigh may be here for some days,

A Few Suggestions.

ATLANTA, December 5, 1881.—Mr. Editor: I am one of a party of New Yorkers who decided to spend the winter south, and contemplate a trip through Florida, Louisiana and Texas. We heard so much of the Atlanta exposition before starting that we aimed directly here the first thing, just ready to be delighted with everything, and with hearts brimful of love for the whole south and its heroic people, to say nothing of a complete paraphernalia of writing materials ready for long, gushing letters to our friends at home of the lovely times we were having, so that perhaps some of them might be induced to follow us Now, we have been here since Friday and are beginning to enjoy ourselves, and we wouldn't for the world harm hospitable Atlanta, but, for the sake of others who are coming, would you kindly allow me to make a few suggestions through your enterprising paper, which is by far superior to those of most cities of Atlanta's size. In the first place, it would be a great help to strangers if all arrivals at the hotels were published. For, although the clerks are very gentlemanly, still it is hard with the present rush to find one's friends.

Let no one feel hurt, for with your soft coal it is very hard to keep your houses clean, and in New York we are always used to dirty streets, but I must say those of Atlanta are worse. Now, couldn't your merchants, during the rest of the exposition, have their sidewalks washed daily? And if householders would sweep their pavements, the town would look so much more inviting. The two principal hotels set most excellent tables and the service is good, but if they could make things look a little bright we would all feel like staying a good deal longer. Another suggestion and I am through. I understand that you had a "Comfort Bureau," or something of the sort, but that it has been abolished It would be such a comfort if strangers on their arrival could go somewhere and find out where they could be accommodated comfortably and could there hire messengers to show them the way and so would not have to be accosting strangers at every turn; where there would be a stranger's register, and where they could find out particulars of how to get to the exposition and all about it. When we arrived we were told at the hotels that they were all full, but through our importunity we were at length camped out in the already full rooms. I had to room with four other girls whom I had never seen, nor had they ever before seen each other. They thought I was a pickpocket, probably, and I didn't know but what they were. However, we decided there was no use to sit up all night and glare at each other, so we began to look more leniently the one at the other, and ended by being very good comrades But our scattered party rallied the next morning and set out in search of other accommodations. I could write a pamphlet regarding our adventures. Through the great kindness of one of your hospitable citizens we have at length settled down comfortably for a lengthy stay and have been to the exposition and are now ready to send home the "gushing" letters. But I thought I would write you this faultfinding note so that I might have nothing on my mind, and that perhaps it might be of some use to the thousands who will flock hither this month to see your wondrous show.

"A NEW YORK GIRL."

The following letters from Mr. S. M. Inman and Mayor English indorse a worthy exhibit at the exposition. Parties who wish to examine the muffler alluded to will find Colonel Howe ready to explain in the Main building, near the Wheeler & Wilson display of sewing machines. The following are the letters referred to:

ATLANTA, Ga., November 2, 1881.—Colonel Frank E. Howe, 8 Bulfinch Place, 9½ Peachtree street, Atlanta, and Boston.—Dear Sir; We take pleasure in testifying to the great efficiency of "Shaws Noise Quieting Muffler" in stopping the noise made by the Atlanta compress. Before the Muffler was applied the compress, being very powerful, the escape of the steam made a distressing noise, which could be heard all over the city of Atlanta. Property in the neighborhood was fast depreciating in value, and could the remedy have not been obtained otherwise property holders could have afforded to pay ten times the cost price of the muffler. Since the application of the muffler the noise is not objectionable at 200 yards' distance, and even when heard has lost much of that troublesome shrillness which it originally had.

(Signed) S. M. INMAN & CO.

MAYOR'S OFFICE, ATLANTA, Ga., November 3, 1881.—Colonel Frank E. Howe, Atlanta, Ga.—Dear Sir: I cheerfully testify to the great public service rendered many of the citizens of the city by the application of Shaw's Noise Quieting Steam Muffler to the cotton compress located here. Before the application of the Muffler the noise made by the compress was almost an intolerable nuisance, interfering with the health, comfort and quiet of a large number of citizens, for a long distance, in every direction; complaints were constantly being made to me about the noise. Injunctions and suits were threatened against the city and the compress company by numerous persons affected by the noise. I am happy to say that those complaints no longer come to me. The muffler has proven so effectual in stopping this noise that it can be of little annoyance to any one, and surely it is not sufficient to justify a complaint or I would have heard of it.

(Signed) J. W. ENGLISH, Mayor of Atlanta, Ga.

Southern Manufacturers' Convention.

Pursuant to notice the Southern manufacturers' association met in the hall of the house of representives yesterday at 2 p.m., Vice-President Cousey presiding. The convention discussed a number of leading questions incidental to Southern manufacturers and their interests. The interest exhibited by them in the course of the discussion proved their zeal in the work. It is a source of regret that the attendance was not as large as anticipated and foreshadowed owing to several causes which it is not our purpose now to enumerate.

The thanks of the association were returned to Major W. J. Houston and Captain Voorhees for their efforts in behalf of the transportation of delegates and to the railroads for their courtesies. Thanks were returned to the press for their attentions to this body.

The remarks of Mr. N. Dumon, the live secretary were listened to with marked attention, and drew forth the plaudits of the members.

The association adjourned subject to the call of the chair.

What Housekeepers Should See.

Among the most noticeable features of the Art department, we saw one article which should command the special interest of all dwellers in warm climates. The combined water cooler, filter and refrigerator, of M. Greenebaum, of Chicago, is the most complete thing of its kind ever made, and surprisingly low in price, considering the results obtained. It certainly consumes less ice, produces better results, allows no decay or contagion of flavors and filters water in a perfect manner while making it ice cold. It is perfectly ventilated and adapted for more uses than any other, and is pronounced the only refrigerator made which is always perfectly sweat proof in the storage compartments.

A Reception.

The New England exhibitors' association will tender a reception to their friends a Concordia hall, No. 40 Marietta street, on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. A cordial invitation is extended to all manufacturers of the south, and to all visiting manufacturers from the north. Among the distinguished guests who will be present, are Governor A. H. Colquitt and staff; his honor, Mayor J. W. English, of Atlanta; ex-Governor Jewell of Connecticut; Lieutenant Governor Weston and staff, of Massachusetts; Hon. George B. Loring, of Massachusetts; Colonel W. E. Barrows, of Willimantic, Connecticut; Director-General H. I. Kimball, and members of the executive committee and ladies.

The committee being unable to secure suitable accommodations at the hotels, have selected Concordia hall, which, with its convenient waiting and dining rooms, affords ample space for the comfort of the large number who will be present.

Visitors are invited to confer with either of the following gentlemen composing the committee: Colonel Frank E. Howe, vice-president; Frank P. Payson, secretary; E. D. Weyburn, Colonel B. S. Pardee, F. D. Whiting, C. Sedgwick Davis.

To Planters and Farmers.

Don't fail to see the combined cotton seed sower and fertilizer distributor, a riding machine, which can be seen in operation daily at the south side of the Agricultural building. Read what one gentleman says in regard to it:

ATLANTA, December 5th, 1881.—Howard Hamilton—Dear Sir: After seeing your combination cotton seed sower and fertilizer distributor in actual operation on the cotton beds at the exposition grounds I pronounce it a great success as a labor-saving implement. The thoroughness, ease and economy with which it did the work of opening the furrow, putting in the fertilizer and covering it, sowing the seed above and covering that, all at the same time, fully warrant me in testifying to its superior merits and recommending its adoption by all cotton planters. CORNELIUS YOUNG, Selma, Ala.

Japanned Work Boxes.

For sale at Clark's O. N. T. Exhibit, 10,000 Japanned work boxes of very beautiful designs. Each box containing 8 spools of O. N. T. Cotton and will be found a most appropriate and useful gift for the holiday season. Price, 50 cents each.

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Exposition Notes.

Go to Jones's restaurant to get and get your dinner down.

The crowd about Stevens's display yesterday was overwhelming.

All the holiday goods this season will be purchased at the exposition. J. P. Stevens & Co. foresaw this and are prepared with the finest line of this class of goods ever shown in the south. Don't fail to see their display.

If you get your dinner at Jones's restaurant to-day you will partake of the best meal that will be prepared in Atlanta.

Tests will be made of cotton gins and cleaners Wednesday and Thursday, cotton pickers on Wednesday, agricultural implements, etc., on Thursday and Friday. Examination of cotton for the grand prize of a thousand dollars will be made on Saturday.

Farmers should not fail to examine the operations of the Eliscas Cotton Cleaner and Condenser in the gin department. It is a wonder of simplicity, and does all claimed for it. The cotton is ginned, thoroughly cleaned and condensed at one operation.

Exposition visitors should not fail to enjoy the only Turkish baths in the city, 14 Loyd street, near Markham house. 98-dec4-Sun,Tues-3w

One fact worthy of notice is this: Every man, woman and child that passes Blackwell's Bull Durham exhibit in Art building, stop and give it a thorough look, as it is the finest tobacco display ever made in the world.

The last issue of the Boston Commercial Bulletin comes loaded with exposition matters—cotton gins and ginning being the burden of about four columns. The cotton gin and cleaner men have to thank Mr. F. W. Rollins, the Bulletin's representative here, for the exhaustive account of their machines, especially as it comes early this week, a most opportune time.

NEW BLOOMFIELD, Mississippi, January 2, 1880.

I wish to say to you that I have been suffering for the last five years with a severe itching all over. I have heard of Hop Bitters and have tried it. I have used up four bottles, and it has done me more good than all the doctors and medicines that they could use on or with me. I am old an poor but feel to bless you for such a relief by your medicine and from torment of the doctors. I have had fifteen doctors at me. One gave me seven ounces of solution of arsenic; another took four quarts of blood from me. All they could tell was that it was skin sickness. Now, after these four bottles of your medicine, my skin is well, clean and smooth as ever.

HENRY KNOCHE.

Wilmington is the only southern port except New Orleans that shows an increase of cotton receipts over last year.

A Wrong Idea.

Many persons having gotten the wrong idea that hops are strengthening, have taken to drinking beer and ale very freely. The consequence is they feel better for a short time, but when the reaction comes they are much weaker than before. Reader, if you value life, lay aside all malt and alcoholic beverages and put your trust in that temperance preparation of iron and vegetable tonics called called Brown's Iron Bitters. It gives real health and strength to every part of the body, refreshes the mind, and restores the nervous system to its proper standard. Over 1,000,000 bottles have been sold this year. dec1—d&w 1w

Uncle Rufus Hatch, of New York, expects to pass his remaining winters in Bermuda.

A heavy feeling about the eyes, accompanied by a sluggishness impossible to shake off otherwise, is speedily removed by Portaline, the great liver medicine. dec3—d1w sat tues thur&w1w

A monument to Agent Meeker and the others who died in the White river massacre is to be erected by the people of Greeley, Colorado.

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Is Removed by the Use of Cocoaine,

And it stimulates and promotes the growth of the hair.

BURNETT'S FLAVORING EXTRACTS are the best.

It seems that there is a poison in lupins which produces in sheep a disease closely resembling jaundice. This virus can be neutralized, on the authority of Dr. G. Liebacher and Professor Kuhn, by resorting to steaming.

Answer This.

Is there a person living who ever saw a case of ague, biliousness, nervousness, or neuralgia, or any disease of the stomach, liver, or kidneys that Hop Bitters will not cure?

The bean and barley trade is very prominent in Wyoming county, N. Y. Three firms have purchased 75,000 bushels of barley and 60,000 bushels of beans. Prices have been high and the farmers have reaped a good harvest. Over 60,000 barrels of apples have also changed hands through the county.

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THE GREAT GERMAN REMEDY. FOR RHEUMATISM,

Neuralgia, Sciatica, Lumbago, Backache, Soreness of the Chest, Gout, Quinsy, Sore Throat, Swellings and Sprains, Burns and Scalds, General Bodily Pains, Tooth, Ear and Headache, Frosted Feet and Ears, and all other Pains and Aches.

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VISITORS TO THE EXPOSITION

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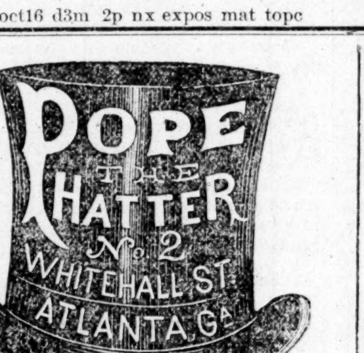

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The Central Railroad of Ga.

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To visitors attending the

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At the low rate of

ONE CENT PER MILE

From the various points as follows:

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From stations on Southwestern Railroad between AMERICUS and SEAGO, including Perry Branch, and from stations between COLUMBUS and FORT VALLEY.

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November 28th to December 4th, Inclusive

From stations on Atlanta Division Central Railroad between GRIFFIN and EAST POINT, including stations on Savannah, Griffin and North Alabama Railroad.

December 5th to 11th, Inclusive,

From stations on Southwestern Railroad between EUFAULA and SUMTER, including stations on Albany (Blakely extension) and Fort Gaines Branches.

December 12th to 18th, Inclusive,

From stations on Central Railroad between CUSHINGVILLE and GRISWOLDVILLE, including stations on Milledgeville and Eatonton Branch.

December 19th to 25th, Inclusive,

From stations on Atlanta Division Central Railroad between MACON and ORCHARD HILL, including stations on Upson County Railroad.

These tickets will be placed on sale at the above mentioned places and dates, and will be limited to five (5) days from date of sale from Southwestern Railroad and Savannah division Central Railroad, and three (3) days from Atlanta division on Central Railroad, including Macon.

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Is Best of all for Lawn and Garden Walks, because it

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NEEDS NO REPAIRING, WILL LAST A WHOLE generation, will not wash off and the more it is worn the nicer it looks and makes a beautiful contrast with the green grass. Address

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GRAND PROMENADE CONCERT,

during which will take place the 139TH GRAND MONTHLY AND THE

Extraordinary Semi-Annual Drawing,

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Capital Prize, $100,000,

NOTICE.—Tickets are Ten Dollars only. Halves $5. Fifths, $2. Tenths, $1.

LIST OF PRIZES.

1 Capital Prize of	$100,000	$100,000
1 Grand Prize of	50,000	50,000
1 Grand Prize of	20,000	20,000
2 Grand Prizes of	10,000	20,000
4 Large Prizes of	5,000	20,000
20 Prizes of	1,000	20,000
50 "	500	25,000
100 "	300	30,000
200 "	200	40,000
600 "	100	60,000
10,000 "	10	100,000

APPROXIMATION PRIZES.

100 Approximation Prizes of	200	$20,000
100 " "	100	10,000
100 " "	75	7,500
11,279 Prizes, amounting to		$522,500

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Notice to the Public.

The public are hereby CAUTIONED AGAINST SENDING ANY MONEY OR ORDERS TO NUNES & CO., 83 NASSAU STREET, NEW YORK CITY, as authorized by the Louisiana State Lottery Company to sell its Tickets. They are flooding the country with BOGUS CIRCULARS purporting to be of The Louisiana State Lottery Company and are FRAUDULENTLY representing themselves as its Agents. They have no authority from this Company to sell its Tickets, and are not its Agents for any purpose.

M. A. DAUPHIN, Pres. Louisiana State Lottery Co.

New Orleans, La., July 4, 1881.

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POPULAR MONTHLY DRAWING OF THE

COMMONWEALTH DISTRIBUTION CO.

In the city of Louisville, on

Saturday, December 31st, 1881.

These drawing occur monthly (Sundays excepted, under provisions of an Act of the General Assembly of Kentucky.

The United States Circuit Court on March 31st, rendered the following decisions:

1st—That the Commonwealth Distribution Company is legal.

2d—Its drawings are fair.

N. B.—The Company has now on hand a large reserve fund. Read the list of prizes for the

DECEMBER DRAWING.

1 Prize	$30,000
1 Prize	10,000
1 Prize	5,000
10 Prizes, $1,000 each	10,000
20 Prizes 500 each	10,000
100 Prizes 100 each	10,000
200 Prizes 50 each	10,000
600 Prizes 20 each	12,000
1000 Prizes 10 each	10,000
9 Prizes $300 each, Approximation Prizes	2,700
9 Prizes 200 each	1,800
9 Prizes 100 each	900
1,960 Prizes	$112,400

Whole Tickets $2. Half Tickets $1. 27 Tickets, $50. 55 Tickets, $100.

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Atlanta, Ga.

ATLANTA, GA. DECEMBER 6, 1881.

MISSISSIPPI will be in Atlanta to-day.

SPEAKER KEIFER is the stalwart mouthpiece.

RAINEY is a colored man; McPherson in white.

BLAINE STEUBEN in German is the latest social event.

THE Mormon president has found another spiritual affinity.

THE great puzzle with politicians—What does Guiteau want with me?

MISSISSIPPI stands alone as the only state in the union without a national bank.

THE Mississippi editors are respectfully invited to call at our office during their stay in the city.

FLIPPER's servant has been testifying in behalf of her master. From her statement she was a very proper young female.

MEMBERS of the Planters' association will please call at our office; it will afford us pleasure to be of service to any of them while in the city.

THE state department has dispatched a secret missive to South America, in order to reach a bottom fact or two. The best thing the department could do would be to Hurlbut and Kilpatrick.

WITH a discontented republican majority in the house, a large number of whom are sore over the result of the speakership trick, the democrats ought to be able to exercise a healthy check on legislation.

MORE national banks were organized during the past year than in any other year since 1872. This is another evidence that the prosperity of the country has fully regained all the strength of its best period.

CONGRESS is again upon the country. The senate adjourned early, but the house, as usual, was in the hands of the orators, who consumed much valuable time. Owing to this fact the president's message was not read.

THE New Orleans Democrat and the New Orleans Times have ceased their issues as separate publications and hereafter the business will be conducted by the Times-Democrat. The hyphen is still in favor.

THE robbe the remains of the late earl of Crawford, in Scotland, is strikingly similar to the outrage on the body of the late A. T. Stewart, in this country. The criminals evidently think that if a man was worth anything in life he ought to be still worth something when dead.

THE effort being made to revive the dormant bones of Babcock has a strong smell of Grant in it. Assassination was a desperate game, and it is mete that the faithful should be rewarded for their work in turning the attention of a crank in the proper direction to suit their purpose.

MR. LORING, the commissioner of agriculture, will not deliver an address on "Small Farms" as has been generally understood, but will discuss an entirely different subject. In his former address he declined to express an opinion as to whether small farms or big plantations were best for the south. He only said that in all other countries where both systems had been tried, the small farms had proved to be the best. He does not care to take sides in a discussion of this matter.

JOHN DUNN is in a fair way to become king of Zululand. John was a London Bohemian, who left Britain many years ago to seek his fortunes. He first went to Natal, but finding no opening there pushed on to Zululand, made friends with the Zulus, became Cetywayo's prime minister, opened up a trading post, accumulated a fortune and not only aspires to but will secure the vacant throne, from which eminence he can return to England and be as much a king as Victoria is queen.

WE print the report of another outrage committed by a convict who had by some one been made a "trusty." The lease act we think is full and explicit in prohibiting the appointment of convicts as trustys, and he party who made this man a trusty ought to be put in the penitentiary himself. The authorities who will not see the law vigilantly enforced in this case against Raterree and his employers, ought to serve a term themselves. These outrages are are entirely too frequent, and the people will hold the officers in charge to a strict account.

IN this issue of THE CONSTITUTION is given the first full exposition of the extent, character and purposes of the great "Hamilton-Disston purchase of four million acres" in Florida. All the details of this gigantic scheme for introducing immigrants into Florida, and in other ways enhancing the values of great areas of the state are set forth intelligently by Mr. Disston himself and will prove not only instructive, but possibly profitable reading to many persons who have their eyes turned longingly toward the land of fruits and flowers.

THERE is nothing so uncertain to the careless reader as the monthly debt statement issued from the treasury. While that statement for November shows that the reduction of the public debt, less cash in the treasury, was, during the month, in round numbers, $7,250,000, the actual reduction of the debt was only $3,167,000, the word debt there including all classes of obligations. The reduction of the bonds debt was $5,500,000. This includes the interest-bearing debt, and the matured debt on which interest has ceased. The reduction of the interest-bearing debt was only $2,400,000.

THE completion of the new transcontinental line of railway, composed of the Southern Pacific and Texas Pacific, and extending from San Francisco by way of El Paso to Texarkana, at the southwestern extremity of the state of Arkansas, noted a day or two since, marks a new era in the Southern and Pacific railway system. There will, of course, be connections leading by way of Shreveport, La., to New Orleans; by way of San Antonio and Austin to the coast of Texas at Lavacca and Galveston; to the Atlantic cities by way of the Georgia Pacific and Richmond and Danville system to Baltimore, or by way of Memphis and St. Louis to the coast cities further north.

GENERAL JOSEPH WARREN KEIFER was born in Bethel township, Clark county, Ohio, January 30, 1836. His early education was obtained in the common schools and at Antioch college, and until 1856 he labored upon a farm near Springfield. In the latter year he began the study of law, and two years later was admitted to the bar. When the first call for troops was made in 1861, General Keifer closed his office, hastened to Columbus, and just twelve days after the call was issued he was chosen major of the Third Ohio infantry. At Cedar Creek he commanded a division, and there he did such valuable service that he was made brevet-brigadier-general. General Keifer's corps was remarkably successful during the last four months of the war, and he was made a brevet major general for his services. At the close of the war General Keifer returned to Springfield and the law. Soon after he was appointed lieutenant colonel of the Twenty-sixth United States infantry, but declined. He was a member of the Ohio senate in 1868 and 1869, commander of the grand army of the republic in Ohio from 1868 to 1870, and a trustee of the Ohio soldiers' and sailors' orphans' home from 1870 to 1878, and has been a trustee of Antioch college since 1873. He was a delegate to the Cincinnati convention in 1876, and was elected to the 45th, 46th and 47th congresses by pluralities. General Keifer is possessed of a robust physical constitution and is a ready speaker.

THE WEEK'S BUSINESS.

Business in wholesale and retail departments during the past week has been very satisfactory. The weather has continued fine, enabling the farmers to gather the cotton that has continued to open, and the receipts of cotton here continue to increase, and as a rule the country merchants are making good collections and paying well. From the best advices obtainable we are led to believe that our wholesale dealers in Atlanta are now in a better condition financially than they have been for the last eight years. There are good reasons why this should be so. Prominent among these reasons are, first, a good crop of cotton selling at high prices. Second, the determination on the part of the wholesale dealers of Atlanta to "accept no compromise." In other words the man who fails now must "step down and out."

The cotton receipts here continue large and the deficit in receipts which has heretofore existed, this season has been wiped out—Atlanta being now the only city in the state which shows receipts equal to last season. In fact, the production of cotton in Cherokee and northeast Georgia is increasing each year, and whilst our city now ranks as second of the interior cotton markets in this state, not many years will elapse before she will take the first place, as she has long since done in her general trade.

THE PLANTERS' CONVENTION TO-DAY.

The convention of cotton planters which assembles at the exposition grounds to-day is perhaps the most important body assembled in the south in many years.

It seems to us that every section and every class is interested in the success of this convention and its permanency.

The planters themselves need to be informed as to the best methods of cultivating their crops and the latest improvements made in fertilizers, implements and seeds.

It is important to the merchants that the crops should be carefully handled and properly sent to market.

It is important to the manufacturers that the cotton should be ginned in better manner, baled in better style, and marketed in better shape.

All classes are interested in the improvement of cotton culture and handling, and this can only be done by organization. The only organization that promises anything is the National Cotton Planters' association. It is proposed, we understand, to raise enough money by issuing stock, to put the association on a firm basis. We do not know what the scheme is, but we hope the projectors of the association will have no trouble in getting what they want. They certainly should have none.

SELLING OUR PATRIMONY.

The sale of a half million acres of Mississippi land by Colonel Gordon to an English company a few days since, should attract more than ordinary attention.

These sales of large tracts of land to outside purchasers, at nominal prices are becoming very frequent. A sale of five million acres in Florida was recorded not long since at less than 50 cents an acre and these Mississippi lands only brought their original owners 8 cents an acre. Coal and iron lands are sold in like bulk at similarly low prices and timber lands are sold at scarcely better figures. We do not question the good policy of these sales. Capital and capitalists are needed to advertise our resources, clear up our lands, and populate our waste acreage. To induce capitalists to take hold low prices are necessary and large tracts must be offered to justify colonization or serious attempts in that direction. The sale of the Florida land to Mr. Diston and his associates has given that state an exceedingly active and intelligent immigration agent and will result in prompt development of a rich and neglected section. In all probability so will the Mississippi sale.

But we must remember that this is our patrimony we are selling. It is a soil that our fathers consecrated with their blood, and left us as a heritage of labor and love. We should protect it in peace, no less than defend it in war. We are inclined to think that when two or three more such sales as these are made it will be time to advance the price and subdivide the bulk. The safest immigrants and the best are those that come in to stay and want a farm of a few acres to cultivate for his wife and babies.

COTTON MANUFACTURING IN THE SOUTH

Mr. C. J. Barker, agent of the Bates manufacturing company, of Lewiston, Maine, has recently made a fortnight's tour through fourteen southern states, and this wide and varied experience has convinced him that the south cannot compete with the northern and eastern mills in the manufacture of cotton goods. Indeed, Mr. Barker found manufacturing in the south in an extremely precarious condition, and he lost no time in describing his discoveries through the Lewiston Journal. Sifted to the bottom, however, Mr. Barker's discoveries amount to this, that the Atlanta cotton mill has found its way into the hands of a receiver, and, therefore, as a matter of course, cotton manufacturing at the south is a failure. We must object not only to Mr. Barker's description of his discoveries, but to his conclusions. Even if the Atlanta cotton mill is, as he alleges, hopelessly bankrupt, it does not follow that mills in other parts of Georgia and in other parts of the south are also bankrupt. It is due, we suppose, that the Atlanta mill was not managed with discretion at the start. It was hurriedly planned, and, in this hurry, no arrangements were made to provide tenements for its operatives. This was a serious oversight, but even this was less hurtful than the war which occurred between the stockholders, and was kept up with remarkable vigor until the courts appointed a receiver. The mill is now in the hands of a gentleman who is credited with considerable tact and sagacity as a business man, and it is said to be paying fair dividends. At any rate, we may venture to explicitly deny Mr. Barker's statement that it is hopelessly bankrupt.

Since, however, Mr. Barker has made the difficulties of one mill a test of the feasibility of manufacturing cotton goods at the south, it is fair to call public attention to the fact that the Bates manufacturing company, of Lewiston, Maine, of which he has been the agent for ten years, recently became so involved that its stock was cut down seventy-five cents on the dollar. This company had a capital of one million five hundred thousand dollars. Furthermore, the Barker mill, which bears Mr. Barker's distinguished name, and of which he was president and managing director, became involved to such an extent that its stock was cut down ninety cents on the dollar and a new organization formed. The Barker mill had a capital of four hundred thousand dollars, and we have the authority of the Lewiston Gazette for saying that this reorganization caused a total loss of all the earnings of hundreds of farmers, widows and orphans, who had been induced to invest their money in that corporation. These are astonishing facts, since Mr. Barker's tone in writing of the difficulties of the Atlanta mill is that of a man horrified to think that a manufacturing concern could, by any combination of circumstances, become involved in any difficulty. It should be borne in mind that while Mr. Barker's two mills were scaling down seventy-five and ninety cents on the dollar, the Eagle and Phenix, of Columbus, was paying 12 per centum on a capital of a million and a quarter, the Augusta mill was paying 15 per centum, and the Langley 15 per centum.

We have no intention of replying to Mr. Barker's statements in regard to cotton manufacturing. This has been capitally done by Mr. W. A. Swift, of Columbus, a practical manufacturer, and by some one in the Lewiston (Maine) Gazette. From Mr. Swift's article in the Columbus Enquirer we make the following extracts:

> Mr. B. says, too, that southern manufacturers are improvident; that while they sell all their waste, such as sacks, hoops, etc., and even the sand for fertilizers which comes out of the cotton; that we, of the south, burn ours. This must be a part of the bad management spoken of by him of the Atlanta mill, for as a manufacturer, I have never yet seen such wastefulness (no pun intended.) Instead of burning ours, as stated, we make as little as possible and sell it for more than the price he mentions, which he says is from one to one and a half cents per pound. We sell our bagging, which we strip from around the cotton, from 2 to 2½ cents per pound for the poorest, and from 8 to 10 cents per yard for the best quality. This is rerolled and sold again to our farmers for baling their cotton, and this is why it reaches Mr. B. in such a poor state and brings no better price with him. We sell everything, in fact, which the northern manufacturer does, except the sand for fertilizers, which Mr. B. admits is done. Self interest prompts us not to do this, as we do not wish "to kill the goose which lays the golden egg." Now, is Mr. Barker surprised that our farmors are "too poor to skin," and "too impecunious to buy fertilizers" which makes cotton only "eight inches high," as long as they buy back the sand which goes away in the cotton? This is a point our farmers must take note of; it affects us seriously, and the days of king cotton are numbered if they do not stick to native earth. We are told "not to carry coals to New Castle," and for the same reason we must not pay for "wooden nutmegs," or southern sand fictitiously called "fertilizer." If we do we will not only fail to make cotton "eight inches high," but we will lose our seed by failing to get a sprout. We are glad to become enlightened upon this subject; we always thought it, but never before had proof of it.
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> He says that there is no water power in the south, but if he will come to Columbus we can show him a water power with a fall of over 100 feet in three miles, with five large mills upon it and power enough for fifty more. We want a mill just the size of the Bates upon it, and we would not object to Mr. Barker as chief manager. Consuming, as the Bates manufacturing company does, about fifty bales of cotton per day, he would save in freight alone about $7 per bale, which would be $350 per day, or $105,000 per year. This would be about 10¼ per cent upon his present capital stock—a very fair dividend we "poverty-stricken people" consider. He would then be able to get along swimmingly without selling his sand for fertilizers. We would buy his goods willingly, but his sand reluctantly; but we would agree to purchsae enough of it for mixing the mortar for building other mills just as an inducement for the investment.

KEIFER's humility probably recommended him to the Camerons.

THE greenbackers in the house failed to materialize. Undoubtedly this is the last of pea-time with the greenbackers.

THE king of Dahomey has forbidden the use of tobacco in his dominions. When his wife wants to rub snuff she has to go to a foreign country.

SOME of Editor Grubb's newspaper friends are amazed because he suggested a Blaine and Brown ticket for 1884. The truth is, Editor Grubb is sagacious enough to perceive that all great successes, whether in business or politics, are made up of a series of compromises.

CONGRESS met yesterday, and the flag at the garrison was at half-mast.

THE pension claim agents appear to have a good thing of it. They say that neither party in congress dares not wound the soldier vote by cutting down the element of fraud in the arrears of pension bill. The claim agents evidently believe that the old soldiers are in favor of fraud.

THE frequent fires of late are calculated to warm up the insurance companies.

THE cotton prophets continue to thrive and hold their own. Your genuine cotton prophet is generally a million of bales out of the way. This causes confusion to everybody but the cotton prophet.

THE New Orleans Democrat says there are not three greater imposters on the road than Lawrence Barrett, Emma Abbott and Mary Anderson. Now, Barrett may remain silent, and little Emma may go off in a corner and weep like a stricken dear, but we are willing to bet that Colonel Hamilton Griffin, of Kentucky, (begad) will have his revenge. The idea of Miss Mamie being an imposter! It is perfectly ridiculous.

THE real republican performers are too intently engaged in literary pursuits to stand around the polls and whoop up the boys on their side of the line. Moreover, they have no campaign fund, no stump orator, and few organs.

PERHAPS if the republican civil service reformers were to employ Dorsey, they would make a better showing on election day. Dorsey is doubtless open to engagements.

THE somewhat loud statement in the organs to the effect that the president will "refuse to truckle to the southern brigadiers" has a suggestive flavor to a thoughtful man. It pleases us to see the organs working back to the old trenches.

THE fact that Mahone needs lieutenants in all the southern states is assidiously advertised by the friends of a third term.

THERE will be a tremendous shrieking and shaking of petticoats when the esteemed Boston Herald and various other esteemed journals discover the connection between Mahoneism and Grantism.

MISS CLARA LOUISE KELLOGG has been nineteen years of age twice. Miss Mamie Anderson will be nineteen again some time this fall.

OUR esteemed contemporary, the Augusta Chronicle says "there are many worse men than Jack Brown." This is true, and a singular fact, which our contemporary forgets to mention, is that they are all in the republican party, while Jack, at last accounts, was a straight-out North American Jeffersonian democrat of the old school, willing to make his undying principles fit a small republican office. Since Grant has got on top, it seems to us that as faithful a cohort as Colonel Jack Brown should not be left out in the cold.

THE New York Herald says that Mahone has done and is doing a good work in the south. The Herald, we believe, had a paragraph some time ago about Cæsarism or something of that kind. Will our contemporary sit out on the balcony with us and watch the developments?

PERSONAL.

JEAN AUGUSTIN BOST, an eminent French Protestant divine, is dead.

PRESIDENT ARTHUR's life is insured for a round hundred thousand dollars.

IT is rumored that ex-Senator Thurman will pass the winter in Washington.

A PLOT to assassinate the Grand Duke Vladimir has been discovered in St. Petersburg.

FLORENCE, the actor, says that President Arthur is the best salmon fisher in America.

SECRETARY KIRKWOOD and his wife have gone to housekeeping in Washington on Grant Row.

THE king of Siam has just purchased in London, through an agent, furniture valued at $1,250,000.

THE finances of Kentucky are not in a bad state. She has of outstanding bonds $180,394, and resources $708,133.27.

SECRETARY BLAINE yesterday received a cable dispatch from Baron Von Steuben, which says he has named his son, born yesterday, "Blaine Steuben."

MRS. LANGTRY will appear at the Haymarket Threatre at a matinee on the 15th instant, in aid of the dramatic fund. The programme will not be an amateur one.

DR. URIEL FERRELL, of Orange, Va., probably is the oldest man in public life in the United States. He is a member of the new legislature, a bourbon, and in his 90th year.

THE portrait of Garfield, which is hereafter to honor the 5-cent postage stamps, is said to be a striking likeness of the late president. Mrs. Garfield is much pleased with it.

A CORRESPONDENT of the Providence Journal reports that there are rumors in Cambridge, Mass., that Professor Longfellow is threatened with the growth of a cancer on his face.

THERE was nothing in the demeanor of Miss Musgrove, a bride a Lebanon, Ohio, to indicate that she was not overjoyed at getting Frazer for a husband, yet within a week she eloped with Thompson.

PROFESSOR SUMNER, of Yale, says that the present college fashion is to "teach a bit of Latin, a bit or Greek, a bit of biology, and a bit of something else, so that in the result men hardly know anything."

M. GREVY never takes wine, not even at dinner; but, like M. Thiers, he is a passionate lover of coffee. To be certain of having his favorite beverage of the best quality, he always, when he can, prepares it himself.

THE Leeds Mercury says it is reported that Hon. Anthony Evelyn Ashley, M. P. for the isle of Wight, intends to resign the secretaryship of the board of trade because he is dissatisfied with the government's Irish policy.

MRS. GARFIELD has been elected the first honorary member of the New Shakspeare society of London, "as a slight tribute of admiration for the loving devotion shown by her during the long and painful illness of the late president."

M. ROUZEAUD, the husband of Mme. Christine Nilsson, is in so feeble health that he is not expected to live many months. Despite his extreme weakness, he is a constant attendant at the Paris bourse, where he is an enthusiastic operator.

ATTORNEY M. C. Read, of Hudson, Ohio, assistant state geologist, has just received a letter which was mailed to him from his wife at Hudson nineteen years ago, while he was with the sanitary commission in the army at Pittsburgh landing.

SIR EDWARD REED and a party of distinguished English companions, who have made an extensive tour of Florida, express themselves as greatly pleased with what they have seen. The confidence which they express in the future of the state is emphasized by their large investments in land and several improvements which they have under way.

IN GENERAL.

A YELLOW crow was shot in Kentucky the other day.

THE telegraph line from Tientsin to Shanghai has been completed.

THE total assessed value of railroad property in Virginia is $26,940,178.

ILLINOIS had 1,726 convicts in Joliet and Chester penitentiaries on the 1st ultimo.

THE salary list of the employes of New York city amounts to the nice little sum of $10,000,000.

THE Boston Journal says that Mr. Vanderbilt has obtained control of the Troy and Boston railroad.

THERE was a white frost and a thin formation of ice in San Francisco November 10, and at the same time orange trees were laden with flowers and fruit.

IT is said in Boston that by the conditions of settlement in the Durant will case, William F. Smith, the brother, is to receive the full income of $20,000.

WESTERN UNION wires are 352,171 miles long, and Dr. Green, president of the company, says the net earnings will be more than six per cent on $100,000,000.

AT the regular weekly sale of the Cedar Rapids dairy board of trade, 30,000 pounds of butter were sold at prices ranging from 38 to 66 cents, the average being over 45 cents.

BERKELEY Duke of Oxford, a bull sent from England to Australia about two years ago, fetched at a recent sale $12,500. This was a profit of $9,500 to his original purchaser.

ON the last monthly settling day the French government placed $30,000,000 at the disposal of the bank of France, to enable it to meet all demands without raising its rate of discount.

THE Canadian customs officers at Prescott, Ont., have made an extensive seizure of American coal oil smuggled into Canada during the past week. The oil was found in cellars, garrets, pig-pens, and other outlandish places.

IT is said that the Natural bridge property in Virginia has been purchased by a stock company, of which Governor Cornell is president. A new railroad is to be built and other efforts made to bring it up as a popular summer resort.

FURTHUR correspondence in regard to Afghanistan is published. The principal document is the solemn promise of the ameer, written in January, never to undertake anything without the consent of the British government.

THE Salt Lake Tribune was informed very recently that there are not more than one or two sons of leading Mormons, of all the leading Mormons, whose mothers were polygamous wives, who are themseves now in polygamy.

IN view of the mixed results of the election in this state, the Galveston (Texas) News says: "This makes New York the battle ground in 1884, and foreshadows the fact that both parties will expect her to furnish the presidential timber."

AGITATION is rife in Canada for the passage of a bill abolishing the law prohibiting marriage with a deceased wife's sister. As the measure received 140 votes to 19 in the house of commons last session, and 30 to 19 in the upper house, it is likely to be successful this session.

SINCE 1867 no fewer than 2,800 houses in Edinburgh that were pronounced unfit to live in have been pulled down; more than $2,500,000 was at the same time spent in city improvements. The result of this on the death-rate is interesting and instructive. In 1863 it was 26 in a thousand. Now it is 20 in a thousand.

GERMANY is declared to be the first nation of the world in the number of her special asylums for the relief and cure of the afflicted. For deaf mutes she has 31 asylums; for the blind, 31; for lunatics, 39, and for epileptics, 11; her total is 176. France ranks next after her with 70, and England next with 65. Russia has only 18.

ENGLISH capitalists are visiting the Montgomery mining district in Arkansas with a view to developing its mineral resources. The great drawback heretofore has been owing to the fact that the parties operating were mostly poor miners, who could not obtain means sufficient to develop their claims.

FEW persons ever thought of Michigan as a semi-tropical state. But there is a strip of Michigan along the lake shore where figs grow and thrive out-of-doors, and where peaches, plums and grapes come to maturity in good season. It is stated by a Michigan paper that last year the shipments of these fruits from this portion of Michigan amounted to 2,500,000 bushels.

THE shipments of grain from the port of New York for the eleven months ended November 30th, aggregated 66,234,019 bushels, against 102,523,129 bushels for the same months in 1880, being a decrease of 36,289,110 bushels for the eleven months. The shipments for the month of November were 5,225,674 bushels, against 7,193,546 bushels in November of last year

MR. JAMES R. KEENE is the promoter of the new postal telegraph scheme between New York and Chicago. The company which has been organized owns the patent for making a compound steel and copper wire, claimed to have great conductivity, and it will use autographic, automatic, duplex instruments, capable, it is claimed, of transmitting 1,000 words per minute both ways.

CURRENT COMMENT.

A Sharp Lunatic.
Chicago Times.

For a crazy man, the assassin keeps his wits well about him.

An Omission.
Chicago Times.

The protectionists, it is noticed, do not ask for a prohibitory tariff on the importation of labor. They believe fully in a free-labor market.

The Kansas Plan.
Boston Post.

We are not prepared to give the Kansas plan of dealing with derelict bank officers our full approval, and yet if it would make defalcations and general abuse of trusts as scarce here as a similar remedy has made them in China, it could not be said to be entirely devoid of plausible arguments in its favor. At the same time we think the whipping post would be better than the halter for offenses of such a character.

Young Man Handy.
New York Sun.

The society young man of the period will shy at ice cream saloons hereafter. The sued lover in the breach of promise case pending in one of our courts testified yesterday that his sweetheart explained the visits of another young man by saying that he was "only her ice cream young man." Pleasant as such an appendage may be to a fair maiden, the average young man will hardly aspire to the humble office, at least where there is a lover around.

A Country of Resources.
Macon Telegraph.

The greatness of America is shown by her ability to sustain the waste and loss of bad and dishonest government. Could the amount of positive waste and stealage under republican administration be regathered, the country would now be out of debt and with plenty of funds in hand. But the stupendous influx of revenue is more marvelous than even the frauds of the imps who dissipate it. Its enormous productive capacities outrun all mismanagement and abuse, so that it is not in the power of crimes and blunders to beggar her.

A Source of Contagion.
Cincinnati Enquirer.

Among the best mediums for the spread of contagious diseases are the street cars. They are generally upholstered with carpeted cushions or carpets, and in winter have little or no ventilation. On days when the weather is cold the doors and windows of the most crowded cars are kept tightly closed. This becomes necessary because no proper arrangements are provided for preventing the passengers from freezing. Like hibernating animals, they are kept warm by keeping the air out. A passenger on the way to or from a pest house is liable, nay likely, to expose to sickness and death a car full of people. If the managers of street railroads would not have their cars a most powerful ally of small-pox let them keep them well aired and well laundried.

The Speakership Contest.

Philadelphia Times, ind.

Ohio is once more spelled with a big O.

New York Sun, ind.

Mr. Hiscock should go west and grow up with Ohio.

Evansville Courier.

The stalwarts should beware of Keifer. He is an Ohio man, and Ohio republicans are not even half breeds. They are little better than faded octoroons.

St. Louis Globe-Democrat, rep.

We were mistaken in the idea that the Ohio man had disappeared from national politics. He comes up smilingly in the acceptable position of speaker of the house.

New York Tribune, half-breed.

Let it be understood at Washington that the republicans of the country will have no patience with congressmen who seek to revive old factional differences and resurrect antagonisms within the party which were buried in the grave of Garfield.

New York Times, nervous republican.

The nomination by the republican caucus of the house of Mr. Keifer, of Ohio, for the speakership, was not unexpected. It may be regarded as the first triumph of the ultra stalwart element under the new administration.

New York Sun, anti Hayes independent.

Of course the stalwarts swarm about Arthur. They like him and he likes his friends. He must be very ignorant of human nature who has supposed that the new president was going to turn his back roughly on his old comrades. General Arthur is not that sort of a statesman.

New York World, cautious democrat.

The democratic minority of the house last night by their judicious renomination of ex-Speaker Randall served notice on the chaotic republican majority that they propose to act as a disciplined force. It will be interesting to watch the manœuvers of the republicans, with an accomplished half-breed like Mr. Kasson at their head on the floor and with a thorough-going stalwart like Mr. Keifer in the chair.

Philadelphia Press, hazy republican.

Had Garfield lived, Frank Hiscock would have been speaker of the house. Not because Garfield would have assumed to dictate the selection, but because Hiscock embodied the influences and tendencies triumphant in the Garfield administration. Garfield died; the ebbing tide of stalwartism advances again to its flood, and General Keifer rides on the crest of the wave into the speakership. It is the first conspicuous illustration and effect of the change.

New York Herald, nondescript.

After a day of close attention to business the republican caucus nominated, on the sixteenth ballot, Mr Keifer, of Ohio, who from the first had received the largest number of votes on every ballot. The candidates are to be complimented on their heroic abstention from speech-making in explanation of their views. Had each of them defined his position upon every question before the public, as candidates sometimes do, the balloting would not yet have yet begun.

New York Tribune, reconciled half-breed.

Ohio still carries off the political prizes. Joseph Warren Keifer, who has received the nomination for speaker from the republican caucus, represents the martyr Garfield's state, and has commanded the hearty support of his delegation. He is a republican of the highest character and of exceptional ability, and will make an energetic and impartial presiding officer of the house. Any one who fancies that Ohio, in this year of assassination and mourning, can furnish the house with a speaker actuated by the accursed spirit of party faction will have his folly for his pains. Mr. Keifer will represent the whole party whatever influences may have been at work to secure the defeat of his most formidable antagonist. The nomination was not made until sixteen ballots had been taken, although the result was a foregone conclusion from the outset. Mr. Hiscock's defeat was caused by the sudden defection of the Pennsylvania delegates, who, with two exceptions, voted as Senator Cameron told them to do. The New York delegation stood by their leader until he gave them the signal to abandon the contest. His conduct was admirable; for, with the parties so evenly balanced as they are in the house it would have been hazardous to prolong mischievous strife when it was plain that Mr. Keifer was the second choice of a large majority of the caucus. New York has thus lost the speakership. This loss of state prestige is caused by the resentment of faction. Yet the nomination is distinctly a Garfield victory. A Garfield man from Garfield's own state has been substituted for a Garfield man from New York state.

Peiladelphia Times, Freelance Independent.

The caucus of republican members of the house at Washington yesterday, after some fighting around, which had little real significance in it, finally worked out the administration programme and nominated Representative Keifer, of Ohio, for speaker. That this would be done was clearly indicated in the news of the previous night and it is no surprise. Keifer is the bosses' candidate. Boss Arthur was for him, and so was Boss Cameron and Boss Conkling and all the subsidiary bosses down through the list. A week ago he was poohpoohed as a candidate without the shadow of a chance, and he was presumed to be out of the question largely because he is an Ohio man. Keifer, however, seems to have understood himself, and within thirty-six hours of the caucus, when the bosses got down to work, and at the moment when all attention was concentrated upon Kasson and Hiscock, the Ohio candidate was forced far in the advance in the race. The selection is an unqualified triumph of the bosses. There is nothing about Keifer to recommend him for the high position to which he will undoubtedly be chosen; there is everything to commend him to the bosses. They did not want Kasson, by all odds the ablest one in the race, because he is able, because he might at some time or onother want to exercise a judgment opposed to the bosses. He comes from a state that has twice been solid for Blaine in national conventions, and that needed rebuke. Hiscock was not wanted because he is not a stalwart, and Conkling and Platt and Arthur were anxious to get even with him. He has shown a great deal more independence than the bosses have any use for. There was only Keifer to fall back upon, and the bosses were prompt in making use of his availability to kill off the Blaine candidate from Iowa and the anti-stalwart candidate from New York.

THE DEACON'S ADDRESS TO ATLANTA.

D-C-N R-CH-RD SM-TH.

Fair city of the Sunny South,
Where blubber lip beats flannel mouth,
And cotton conquers corn!
Accept the thanks of one who came,
With heart and head alike aflame,
But not to carp or scorn.

By all that you have trotted forth
To show the people of the north,
You prove your pluck and pith.
None dare dispute your right to live,
Since you can such a welcome give
To Deacon Richard Smith.

When war so scorched your garment's hem
It was not I, but Halstead, M.,
Who sent those soldiers here.
'Tis I who in these later days
Have nobly earned your warmest praise
By sending hogs an beer.

True goodness now delights your eyes,
While you can thoroughly despise
My wicked partner's tricks;
And I am with you, heart and hand.
Although my stomach scarce can stand
The various drinks you mix.

If I could but select a home
Where care and strife can never come,
Nor wicked partners brawl,
A statue I would choose to be,
Set up where all the world may see,
Within your City Hall.

If you should such a statue build,
Pray let the architect be skilled,
A man of worth and weight;
And while this countenance of mine
May teach true goodness how to shine,
Pray let my legs be straight!

Farewell, Atlanta! As I go
Far from the city and the show,
I leave an impress here.
Forget not, as you wipe your eyes,
That Cincinnati best supplies
Music and pork and beer!

—New York Sun.

EXPOSITION NOTES.

THE Willimantic company will to-day repeat its great feat of making a suit of clothes from the seed cotton in twelve hours. The suit will be made for Mr. R. P. Salter, of Latham, Alexander & Co., the great banking and cotton firm of New York. Mr. Salter will have his measure taken to-day at 12 o'clock and leave for New York on the Air-Line at 3 p.m. The suit, comprising a shirt, pants, vest and coat, will be forwarded by this evening's express, and Mr. Salter will wear it in the New York cotton exchange, and at a reception. It will be the first time such a suit was ever worn in New York. The cotton will be picked at 6 o'clock this morning and the suit ready at 6 this evening.

A PLEASANT party consisting of Governor Weston, of Massachusetts; Hon. George B. Loring, commissioner of agriculture of the United States; Colonel F. C. Morehead, president of the Cotton Planters' association; Mr. R. P. Salter, of New York; Colonel Frank E. Howe, of Boston; ex-Governor Benjamin Conley, General Lewis, and one or two others dined at ex-Governor Bullock's last evening. They were invited to meet Governor Jewell, of Connecticut, who is the guest of Governor Bullock. The occasion was a delightful one in every sense. Colonel Morehead and Commissioner Loring met for the first time at Governor Bullock's and agreed on the programme for the planters' convention.

LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR BYRON WESTON, of Massachusetts, brought to Atlanta on Sunday one of the most popular parties that has visited us since the exposition opened. They are solid, business looking men, with a hearty appreciation of the exposition, the south and everything else that they are invited to see. The party is composed of Hon. James M. Barker, law commissioner; Dr. Walcott, health officer; Messrs. Thaddeus Clapp, J. S. Peck and Charles Kellogg, manufacturers of Pittsfield, Mass.; Mr. Frank Cutting, of Boston, and Mr. Haskell Dodge, a builder and contractor of Pittsfield. Governor Weston is himself a manufacturer of fine papers, etc. These gentlemen have quite won the hearts of our people, and we have only one complaint to make—they leave us too soon.

The Coming Editors.

CHATTANOOGA, December 5.—[Special.]—The Mississippi press association have spent the day here very pleasantly, and will leave at 10:30 to-night for the Atlanta exposition. They have engaged rooms at the exposition hotel, where the headquarters of the association will be during their sojourn in your city.

R. WALPOLE,
President Miss. Press Ass'n.

The Giant Baby.

Harry Castleman, the giant baby, at 30 Peachtree street, is certainly a wonder whose case baffles all attempts at solution. At birth he weighed nine pounds, and yet, when but a little over three years of age, he turns the scale at 130—more than the weight of many full-grown men. He was born in Kentucky, and is being exhibited by his parents. Every man, woman and child should see him.

FINANCIAL FACTS.

NEW YORK, December 5.—Share speculation was strong at the opening and prices were generally ⅛ to 1¼ per cent higher, Memphis and Charleston, Boston Air-Line Preferred and Nashville and Chattanooga showing the greatest improvement. There was a good buying in the early dealings and prices advanced steadily until an improvement of ¼ to 3¼ per cent took place, Richmond and Danville, Boston Air-Line Preferred, Reading, Denver and Rio Grande and Missouri Pacific being most prominent therein. During the afternoon speculation became feverish and gradually assumed a weak tone prices falling off steadily to the close, finals sale being generally at a decline of ¼ to 2⅜ per cent from the highest point of the day. The shares most conspicuous in the downward movement were Richmond and Danville, Wabash, Boston Air-Line Preferred, Denver and Rio Grande and Northwest. Transactions aggregated 327,500 shares.

Georgia 6s	109	Manhattan Ele	56½
Georgia 7s mortg'e	111½	Metropolitan Ele	95½
Georgia do gold	117	MichiganCentral	92½
Louisiana consols	69⅝	Mobile & Ohio	36⅝
North Carolina old	35	N JerseyCentral	95½
North Carolina new	22	Norfolk & W'n Pre	58
Funding	12	N. Y. Elevated	108
Special tax	9¼	Ohio & Miss	39⅛
Tennessee 6s	71½	Preferred	107
Tennessee new	71	Pacific Mail	44½
Virginia 6s	33	Panama	195
Consolidatsd	76	Quicksilver	13½
Deferred	18	Preferred	60
Adams Express	143	Reading	69⅛
American Mer. Ex	97	St L & San Fran	43
Chesap'ke & Ohio	26½	do Preferred	65⅛
Chicago & Alton	133	do first Preferred	105
C., St. L. & N. O	80	St. Paul	107⅞
Consolidated Coal	33	Preferred	119
Delaware & Lack	127⅞	Texas Pacific	53
Fort Wayne	136	Union Pacific	118⅝
Hannibal & St Joe	95	United States	77
Harlem	—	Wells & Fargo	135
Houston & Texas	91	N., C. & St. L	85½
Chicago & N.W	127	N.Y.Central	137½
do Preferred	140	Pittsb'g F.W. & C	136
Erie	45	Rich. & Dan	125
Illinois Central	133	Rock Island	134
Lake Shore	120½	Wab., St. L. & Pac	41½
L. & N	114½	do Preferred	81½
Memphis & Char'n	70½	Western Union	84⅝

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ATLANTA, December 5, 1881.

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Confed'te bonds per $1000 ..$2.00	@	Confed'te notes per $1000.....	10c	
Georgia 6s 110	@112	Sav. City 5s new...........	87	@ 89
Ga. 7s, 1886 ...110	@112	Macon City...	97	@ 96
Ga. 7s, 1896....122	@125	Col. City........	78	@ 80
Ga. 7s, gold ...116	@118	Ga. R. R. 6s...108		@110
Ga. 8s...........110	@111	Cent. R.R. 7s..115		@117
Western R.R. Ala. first mortgage ...116	@118	W& A R. Lessees; 10 pc. inc'e b'ds....115		@120
Atlanta 6s......102	@104	Ala. Class A 2 to 5..........	78	@ 80
" Water 7s. 111	@113			
" City 7s.....111	@113			
" City 8s.....116	@118	Class A small	78	@ 80
" 10s...........108	@110	Class B 5s......	97	@100
Aug. City 7s ..110	@112	Class C 4s......	83	@ 85

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Aug. & Sav ...120	@122	North Car......	90	@ 95
Central 125	@127	Rich. & Dan...116		@118
do. scrip..... 98	@100	South Car......	40	@ 45
C., C. & Aug. 54	@ 56	Southw'n......120		@122

By Telegraph.

NEW YORK, December 5—Noon—Stocks feverish. Money 6. Exchange—Long $4.80; short $4.84. Governments inactive. State Bonds strong and ⅛@¼ higher.

Evening—Exchange $4.80. Governments strong; new fives 102⅝; four and a half per cents 114¼; four per cents 118¼. Money 6@6⅛. State Bonds dull.

Sub-treasury balances:
Coin..................$86,153,164 Currency .....$ 4,719,764

Stocks opening firm, closing weak and feverish.

Ala. Class A 2 to 5....	80¼	Lou. & Nash	114¾
do. Class A small....	81	Mem. & Char...........	70½
Ala. Class B 5s	100	N. C., & St. Louis	85½
do. Class C 4s	82	N. Y. Central............	137¼
Chicago & N. W........	127	Pittsb'g F.W. & C	136
do. Preferred	140	Rich. & Alleghany...	38
Erie	45	Rich. & Dan............	125
East Tenn R. R..........	14⅞	Rock Island	134
Ga. R. R	163	Wab., St. L. & Pac...	41¼
Illinois Central	133	do. Preferred	81½
Lake Shore.............	120½	Western Union	84½

PARIS, December 5—3:00 p.m.—Rentes 85f. 95c.
LONDON, December 5—4:00 p. m.—Erie 46⅞.

THE COTTON MARKET

CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
Atlanta, December 5, 1881.

New York—The cotton market was subject to moderate fluctuation to-day, and no material change has resulted from the movement of quotations. The tone has been unusually steady, and, although a moderate decline occurred in the forenoon, the reaction of the market later in the day almost recovered the opening figures. At the close futures ruled firm with a tendency to move higher. The spot market is unchanged; middling 12⅝c.

Net receipts for two days 87,940 bales, against 94,108 bales last year; exports 52,343 bales; last year 58,662 bales; stock 929,406 bales; last year 918,980 bales.

Below we give the opening and closing quotations of cotton futures to-day:

OPENED.		CLOSED.	
December	12.08@12.10	December	12.05@12.06
January	12.25@12.26	January	12.22@12.23
February	12.44@12.45	February	12.42@12.43
March	12.63@12.64	March	12.61@12.62
April	12.78@12.79	April	12.77@
May	12.90@12.92	May	12.89@12.90
June	13.00@13.01	June	13.00@13.01
July	13.10@13.11	July	13.11@13.13
August	13.18@13.20	August	13.20@13.21
September	12.53@12.56	September	12.51@12.53

Closed firm; sales 126,000 bales.

Liverpool — Futures closed steady. Spots—Uplands 6 11-16d; Orleans 6 13-16d; sales 12,000 bales, of which 8,450 bales were American; receipts 5,200; American 3,850.

The local cotton market was steady to-day, but at the close ruled firm. Receipts to-day amount to 1,053 bales, of which 149 bales were received from wagons. We quote prices firm: Good middling 11⅝c; middling 11¼c; low middling 10⅞c; strict good ordinary 10½c; good ordinary 10¼c; ordinary 8½c; tinges 10⅞c; stains 8@10c.

The following is our statement of receipts and shipments for to-day:

RECEIPTS.

By wagon	149
Air-Line Railroad	335
Georgia Railroad	103
Central Railroad	151
Western and Atlantic Railroad	123
West Point Railroad	192
Total	1,053
Receipts previously	84,012
Total	85,065
Stock September 1	1,109
Grand total	86,174

SHIPMENTS.

Shipments for to-day	903
Shipments previously	54,854
Local consumption previously	1,842
Total	57,599
Stock on hand	28,575

The following is our comparative statement:

Receipts to-day	1,053
Same day last year	1,247
Showing a decrease of	194
Receipts by wagon to-day	149
Same day last year	79
Showing an increase of	70
Receipts since September 1	85,065
Same time last year	84,992
Showing an increase of	73

By Telegraph.

LIVERPOOL, December 5—noon—Cotton steady; middling uplands 6 11-16; Orleans 6 13-16; sales 12,000 bales; speculation and export 2,000; receipts 5,200; American 3,850; uplands low middling clause December and January delivery 6⅝; January and February delivery 6 11-16; March and April delivery 6 25-32; April and May delivery 6 13-16; May and June delivery 6⅞; June and July delivery 6 29-32; futures opened steady.

LIVERPOOL, December 5—5:00 p. m.—Sales of American 8,450 bales; uplands low middling clause February and March delivery 6¾; June and July delivery 6⅞; July and August delivery 6 15-16; futures closed steady.

NEW YORK, December 5—Cotton dull and easier; middling uplands 12⅝; middling Orleans 12 7-16; sales 688 bales; net receipts 299; gross 7,939; consolidated net receipts 54,134; exports to Great Britain 12,689; to France 1,800; to continent 8,677.

PROVISIONS GRAIN, ETC.

CONSTITUTION OFFICE,
Atlanta, December 5, 1881.

The following quotations indicate the fluctuations on the Chicago board of trade to-day:

WHEAT.

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
December	1 29¾	1 29¾	1 28½	1 28½
January	1 30⅝	1 30½	1 29¼	1 29¼
February	1 31¼	1 32	1 30½	1 30½

PORK.

	Opening.	Highest.	Lowest.	Closing.
January	17 40	17 40	17 10	17 10
February	17 55	17 55	17 32½	17 32½

Flour, Grain and Meal.

ATLANTA, December 5—Flour—Market steady at quotations: fancy $8.00@$9.25; extra family $8.00@$8.25; family $7.50@$7.75. Wheat—Chicago—Considerable firmness was displayed during the morning, and prices went rapidly higher, but in the afternoon the tone weakened and the decline that followed resulted in lowering quotations considerably under opening figures. The local market is unchanged; milling $1.60@$1.65; seed $1.75@$2.00; fancy seed $2.25@$3.00. Corn—The market is some firmer, and for small lots higher prices are asked; yellow corn is scarce; we quote choice white 95c; yellow 90c. Oats—Firm and in good demand at 65c. Meal—95c@$1.00. Grits—$5.50.

CHICAGO, December 5—Flour stronger; common to choice western spring $4.50@$6.75; common to fancy Minnesota $5.25@$7.75; patents $7.50@$9.25; winter wheat flours, fair to choice $6.50@$8.00; fancy $8.00; low grades $3.50@$5.00. Wheat active a shade higher but unsettled; No. 2 Chicago spring $1.28½ cash; $1.28¾ December. Corn unsettled and generally higher, closing weak; 60⅛@60⅝ cash and December. Oats fairly active and a shade higher; 45¾ cash; 45⅛@45¾ December.

NEW YORK, December 5—Flour, southern dull; common to fair extra $5.75@$6.75; good to choice extra $6.80@$8.12½. Wheat unsettled; ungraded red $1.31@$1.46; ungraded white $1.41@$1.42½; No. 2 red December $1.41¾@$1.43¼. Corn strong; ungraded 65@72¼; No 2 white 73¼; white southern 71; yellow do. 73¼; No. 2 December 70@70½. Oats better and moderately active; No 3 49½. Hops dull; choice yearlings 12@22.

ST. LOUIS, December 5—Flour firm; double extra $5.60@$5.70; choice to fancy $6.35@$7.10; family $6.75@$6.90. Wheat opened higher but closed weak and lower: No. 2 red fall $1.36¼ cash; $1.36 December. Corn opened higher and declined: 63½ cash; 64½ December. Oats lower and slow; 46¾ cash; 47¼ bid December.

CINCINNATI, December 5.—Flour in fair demand family $6.25@$6.50; fancy $7.00@$7.75. Wheat firm; No. 2 red winter held at $1.38; receipts 2,000; shipments 2,100. Corn active and firm; No. 2 mixed 65¾@66. Oats strong and higher: No. 2 mixed 50.

LOUISVILLE, December 5—Flour quiet but firm; extra $5.00@$5.50; choice to fancy $7.50@$8.00. Wheat steady at $1.35. Corn steady; No 2 white 69½. Oats firm; No. 2 white 49½.

Provisions.

ATLANTA, December 5 — The market remains steady. Clear Rib Sides—9¾c, Bacon — Inquiry moderate for sides; sugar-cured hams are firm but steady at 14½@15c. Lard—Easier at quotations; best leaf at 14½c; refined 12½@13c; cans 13@14c.

NEW YORK, December 5—Pork dull with prices weak and unsettled; mess spot $17.25@$17.50 old; $18.25@$18.50 new. Middles dull; long clear 9⅝@9½; short clear 9⅝. Lard lower and moderately active, closing weak; prime steam spot 11.35@11.40.

CINCINNATI, December 6—Pork dull and nominal at $17.50@$18.00. Lard easier at 11.10. Bulk meats quiet; shoulders 6¾; clear ribs 9. Bacon scarce and firm; shoulders 9; clear ribs 10¾; clear sides 11½.

CHICAGO, December 5—Pork in fair demand and lower; $17.00 cash and December. Lard active but lower; 11.00@11.10 cash and December. Bulk meats steady; shoulders 6½; short ribs 9; short clear 9.30.

ST. LOUIS, December 5—Pork firm; $17.50 bid January. Bulk meats firm; car lots 6.20; shoulders 8.50; clear ribs 8.85; clear sides 9.10. Bacon slow. Lard firm at 11½.

LOUISVILLE, December 5—Pork and lard nominal. Bulk meats quiet; shoulders 9½; clear ribs 9½; clear sides 9⅝. Bacon, clear ribs 10½. Sugar-cured hams 13½.

Groceries.

ATLANTA, December 5—Market for some days has been quite active. Coffee—Steady; Rio 10½@15. Roasted Coffees—Old government Java 25@3 best Rio 20; choice 18. Sugars—Standard A 10½; granulated 11; cut loaf 12; powdered 12; white extra C 10½; yellow C 9¼@9¾; market about bare of New Orleans sugar. Molasses—Black strap 30. Syrup—Fair 45; prime 55; choice 60. Teas—Oolong 35@60; Japan 40@$1.00; Imperial and gunpowder 40@80; Young Hyson 27@75; English breakfast 35@75. Pepper quiet at 18; allspice, best sifted, 20; cinnamon 30; saigon 55; cloves 60; African ginger 10; mace $1.25; nutmegs $1.20@$1.25; mustard, best, 40; medium 18@25. Crackers—Firm; we quote milk 9c; Boston butter 8½c; pearl oyster 9c; soda XX 6½c; do. XXX 7c; cream 9c; lemon 10c; molasses cakes 9½; ginger snaps 10c. Candy—Assorted stick 13c. Mackerel—Firm; No. 2 bbls $9.60; ½ bbls $5.00; kits 85; No. 1 $12.00; ½ bbls $6.50; kits $1.19. Soap—$2.50@$7.00 ℔ 100 cakes. Candles—Full weight 13½; no light weight on market. Matches—$3.00. Soda, in kegs, $4.00@$4.50; in boxes, 5c. Rice—Steady; choice 8c; prime 7½c; fair 7c.

NEW YORK, December 5—Coffee quiet: Rio 8¾@11¾. Sugar dull and nominally unchanged; fair to good refining 7¾@7⅞; refined dull and easier; standard A 9¼. Molasses quiet; new crop New Orleans 60@70; old do, 35@60. Rice steady and quiet; Carolina and Louisiana 5½@7¾.

CINCINNATI, December 5—Sugar steady and firm: hards 10⅛@10½; New Orleans 7½@8½.

Wines, Liquors, Etc.

ATLANTA, December 5—Market steady. Corn whisky, rectified, $1.00@$1.40; rye, rectified, $1.10@$1.50; rye and Bourbon medium $1.50@$2.00; rum, rectified $1.25@$1.75; New England $1.75@$2.50; St. Croix $4.00; Jamaica $3.50@$4.50; gin, domestic $1.50@$2.50; imported $3.00@$4.50; Cognac brandy, domestic $1.50@$2.50; imported $5.00@$8.00; copper distilled corn whisky, Georgia made, $1.75; apple and peach brandy $2.00@$3.00; cherry and ginger brandy $1.00@$1.50; port wine $1.50@$6.00, owing to quality; sherry $1.50@$6.00; catawba $1.25@$1.75; scuppernong $1.00@$1.25.

CINCINNATI, December 5—Whisky steady and firm at $1.15.

LOUISVILLE, December 5 — Whisky steady at $1.15.

ST. LOUIS, December 5—Whisky steady at $1.16

CHICAGO, December 5—Whisky steady at $1.17

Miscellaneous.

ATLANTA, December 5—Wool—In fair demand; washed 28@33; unwashed 20@23; burry 10@15.

NEW YORK, December 5—Rosin firmer at $2.20@$2.25. Turpentine steady and quiet at 50@50½.

ATLANTA, December 5—Salt—Ground Liverpool $1.10; Virginia $1.10@$1.25.

Live Stock.

CINCINNATI, December 5—Hogs fairly active and a shade higher; common and light $5.00@$6.20; packing and butchers $6.20@$6.50.

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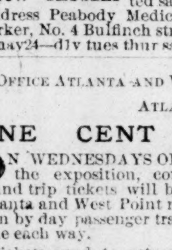

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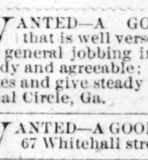

THE BICYCLES, USED IN Rink, on Pryor street. Also tools and extra parts for keeping them in repair. Address
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WANTED—A GOOD BLACKSMITH; ONE that is well versed in ironing buggies, wagons and general jobbing in that line; must be sober, steady and agreeable; to such a man I will pay fair wages and give steady work. Address W. H. Lloyd, Social Circle, Ga. 125dec4 2t

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WANTED—SITUATIONS.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE STOCKS OF GOODS or household furniture. Cash paid for either upon a fair valuation and auction expenses saved. Address or apply to John Neal & Co., No. 9 Broad street. 551 nov13—tf

WANTED—AGENTS.

WANTED—RESPONSIBLE SOLICITORS TO work the National Life Association. Home office, Columbus, Ohio. This Association is on the assessment plan, purely mutual, and combines simplicity, cheapness and security. Address Branch office, No. 50 Marietta street, Atlanta, Ga. S. H. Scofield, General Agent.
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WANTED—A GOOD RESIDENCE, WITH TEN or twelve rooms, centrally located, with modern improvements, on good lot, in good neighborhood. Hendrix & McBurney, Real Estate Exchange, 15 Pryor street, Kimball House.
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ANY ORDERS FOR HAULING OR DRAYING will receive prompt attention by leaving your name and number with Stewart & Roberts for me. John W. McGinty.
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ATLANTA WIRE WORKS AND BIRD CAGE Manufactory, 106 Peachtree street, crimped wire window guards for churches, stores, public and private buildings, all siezes of meshes and thickness of wire, preventing breaking glasses, and preventing burglars to enter, fire fenders, fire guards, flower stands, trainers, cages, arches, wire baskets, fencing for graves. Special attention given for bank, store and office railing. All orders promtly attended to, and oblige your obedient. Emilio Cavaleri.
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FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—ONE NEATLY FURNISHED AND four unfurnished rooms. Apply 193 Ivy street. dec6—d1t

FOR RENT—A TWO-STORY DWELLING HOUSE with modern improvements, near business center. Apply to L. Cohen. dec6 d1t

THE MOST ELEGANT OFFICE PRIVILEGES on Whitehall street, to rent to a gentleman of nice quiet business. Address "Office," care Constitution, stating business. dec6 d1t

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TRUNKS AND VALISES.

HUZZA & CO., AT NO. 12 WHITEHALL ST., have an immense stock of trunks and valises of their own make; they employ the best workmen in Atlanta or any other city, and therefore have the best work. 122 dec4 3t

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HUZZA & CO., THE TRUNK MEN OF ATLANTA, have at their store No. 12 Whitehall street, the largest stock of fancy leather goods for Holiday presents in the city. Come and see them.
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M.M.M. MERCHANTS MAKE MONEY by buying Florida Oranges, Northern and Georgia Apples, Sweet and Irish Potatoes, Sausage, choice Roll Butter, Peanuts, Sugar, Coffee, Tea, etc., of Elam Johnson, 26 N. Broad St dec6—d1t

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FOR SALE—A NO. 1 BUGGY OR SADDLE horse; also light wagon. Apply 100 McDonough street. 104 dec43t

BREECH AND MUZZLE - LOADING SHOT guns for sale by Clarke, Thompson & Co., No. 45 Peachtree street. 155 dec4 2t

FOR SALE ON REASONABLE TERMS TO REliable parties, an established hardware business at LaGrange, Georgia, the only concern of the kind in the county. Address P. O. Box 2071, New York. nov30 d1w

FOR SALE—A PAIR OF FINE ANGORA GOATS male and female, cheap. Apply to J. Elsas, 62 and 64 Broad street. nov29 dtf tues thur sat

THE BEST TRUSS—SUREST TRUSS—THE R. C. Truss, at Dr. Gurley's, 67 Whitehall street. nov18—dtf

HEADQUARTERS FOR SHOW CASES; METAL and walnut, all sizes. George J. Howard & Bro., wholesale and retail druggists, 36 and 38 Wall street, opposite passenger depot. 135dec4 3t

FOR SALE, AT WHOLESALE OR RETAIL 100,000 bunches kindling pine. W. S. Wilson & Bro. dec2 2w fri sun and tues.

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SASH, DOORS AND BLINDS, BUILDERS' hardware and carpenters' tools for sale by Clarke, Thompson & Co., No. 45 Peachtree street. 155 dec4 2t

FOR SALE, THE LIBRARY OF THE LATE DUFF Green, comprising rare books—law, medicine, miscellaneous—can now be examined. Single copies can be purchased. "Auction House"—W. B. Burke, 99 Whitehall street.
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THE AMERICAN FLUTING MACHINES FOR sale by Clarke, Thompson & Co., No. 45 Peachtree street. 155 dec4 2t

REGISTERED JERSEYS—BULL "TORONTO," 2976, quite gentle; brother to "Duchess of Bloomfield" for which Major Campbell Brown refuses $1,000. Heifer "Rowena," due to calve in February next. Can be seen at my stables, Loyd street. W. O. Jones. nov12—dtf

OLIVER CHILLED PLOW, THE BEST IN USE, for sale by Clarke, Thompson & Co., No. 45 Peachtree street. 155 dec4 2t

FOR SALE CHEAP—ONE 30 H. P. PORTABLE Engine for $625, delivered on board cars. Address B. H. Tyson, Archer House, Atlanta, Ga. nov30—d5t

FOR SALE—A FORSAITH FOLDER, IN GOOD condition, cheap. Constitution, Atlanta, Ga. oct8—dtf

DISSTON'S HAND AND CIRCULAR SAWS FOR sale by Clarke, Thompson & Co., No. 45 Peachtree street. 155 dec4 2t

PAINT—THE CELEBRATED ENAMEL PAINT, manufactured by the New York Enamel Paint Co., can now be had in any desired quantities, of me, as I have been appointed sole agent for Atlanta. F. W. Hart, 30 South Broad street.
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HEADQUARTERS FOR FIRE PROOF SAFES. Parties wanting will find bargains at Thos. M. Clark & Co., agents for Macneale & Urban.
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LOST.

LOST—BETWEEN HOUSTON STREET AND Mrs Goettings, seven keys on a brass chain. Finder will please leave at Constitution office.
dec6 d1t

LOST—A BROACH, WITH HAIR OF TWO shades—set round with pearls—two names engraved on the back; lost Sunday evening between No. 40 Forsyth and 101 Ivy street; a reward offered.
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ESTRAYED—BAY MARE MULE; LAME IN right hind foot. Reward will be given for its return to Hoffman's Stable, Forsyth street.
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AUCTIONS AND SALES.

DOYLE ESTATE AT AUCTION—ALL WHO are interested in the sale of valuable, central property in Atlanta should look after this valuable estate to be sold at the Court-house to-day, December 6th, 1881, sale day. Call at our office and get a plat and attend the sale. Frierson & Leak, Real Estate Agents, 33 Marietta street. dec6—d1t

EISWALD PROPERTY AT AUCTION—ALL who wish to buy small, central and well located houses and lots, that will rent well and pay a large interest on cost will do well to attend the sale at the Court-house to-day at 10 o'clock, December 6th. Call at our office and get a plat. Frierson & Leak, 33 Marietta street. dec6—d1t

N. R. FOWLER, AUCTIONEER—THE MEAD Property—This afternoon, commencing at 1:30 p. m., corner Ivy and Gilmer streets. See legal advertisement in Daily Constitution. C. H. Strong, Administrator. dec6—d1t

ANNOUNCEMENT—ON NOVEMBER 20 1881, W. C. Morris & Co. will resume the Auction and Commission business at their old stand, No. 21 Marietta street, corner Broad. Consignments of all kinds respectfully solicited. Prompt returns guaranteed. Large storage rooms. W. C. Morris & Co. oct28—dtf top col

D. P. ELLIS & CO., AUCTIONEERS AND Commission Merchants, 21½ Marietta street, give their personal attention to auction sales of merchandise, furniture, real estate, live stock, etc. Liberal advances made, and prompt returns on sales. 244 nov6—tf

AUCTION—JOHN NEAL & CO., AUCTION, commission and warehouse merchants; consignments solicited and liberal advances made on the same if desired; regular auction sale days and excellent warehouse facilities for storage; office and salesroom, No. 9 Broad (near Marietta) street, Atlanta, Ga. All communications strictly confidential.
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BOARD.

BOARDING BY DAY OR WEEK AT SOUTHeast corner of Wheat and Ivy streets. Mrs. Mary Garland. dec6—d1t

BOARD—TEN OR TWELVE GENTLEMEN CAN get good board at reasonable rates, at No. 7 New Peachtree street. 141dec4 2t

GOOD BOARD, EITHER BY THE DAY OR week, for gentlemen, can be had at 51 Luckie street. dec6—d4t

VISITORS WISHING BOARD AND LODGING can find accommodation at my residence, 69 Houston, corner Collins street. Terms moderate. Marcus A. Bell. 140 dec4d2t

PRIVATE SLEEPING ROOMS WITH GAS AND fire, with or without board, two squares from car shed, located in business center of the city, and in close proximity to the avenue of fashion. Hoppie Bros. & Co., 59 Peachtree street. 172 dec4—d1w

BOARD AND LODGING BY THE DAY OR week at No. 18 Wheat street. Mrs. Mary Randall. dec3—d1w

ONE COUPLE AND TWO SINGLE GENTLEmen can obtain permanent board and good rooms at 11 East Cain, one door from Peachtree. dec2 fri and sun

MRS. A. C. SHACKLEFORD HAS OPENED A Boarding House at the residence of Dr. J. T. Warnock, corner Wheat and Collins, for the accommodation of visitors to the cotton exposition. Nice rooms and best of fare.
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110 EAST 25TH STREET, NEW YORK CITY. Large airy, handsomely furnished rooms, for permanent or transient Southern boarders. Table excellent. Terms reasonable.
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LEYDEN HOUSE, 124 PEACHTREE STREET Atlanta, Ga. Located on the most fashionable street, adjoining governor's mansion, and on connecting street car line to exposition. Accommodations first-class, $2.00 and $2.50 per day, according to rooms and number of party.
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FLORIDA FORTUNES.

HOMES FOR THOUSANDS IN THE GREAT DISSTON PURCHASE.

Full Explanation by Mr. Disston of His Great Plan for Populating and Improving the State of Florida—Forty Acres in the Reach of Almost Every Man—How to Get a Fortune.

Among the visitors to the exposition last week was Mr. Hamilton Disston, of Philadelphia, accompanied by several distinguished friends and associates in business. They remained only a few hours, and left Saturday afternoon for Philadelphia, where important business engagements demanded their immediate presence. Mr. Disston has taken great interest in the exposition, and has on exhibit from his world famed saw works one of the handsomest displays in the main building. Its materials were selected and arranged by Mr. Schoomaker, the trusted representative of the firm at all the great exhibitions of this and continental countries. Mr. Disston was one of the early subscribers to the capital stock of the exposition, and expressed himself as greatly pleased with the grand exhibition and beneficial work that the capital employed had accomplished. While he will not be able to revisit the exposition before its close, he will return in January next to spend some time in Atlanta and possibly, under favorable conditions, interest himself financially in some of the enterprises of this growing city. He already has many warm friends in Atlanta and Georgia, and will find a hearty greeting and sympathy in their midst.

It is doubtless remembered by many of our readers that Mr. Hamilton Disston is the leader of the syndicate, that in the early spring became the purchasers of Florida lands from the atuhorities of that state to the amount of four million acres!

This astonishing transaction took the country by surprise, and appeared to indicate that somebody was anxious to own the whole of one of our sovereign commonwealths. Four million acres, at first blush, appeared to represent about all the dry land on the Florida peninsula, but a little investigation showed the error, while developing the fact that this combination of capital had secured to itself the titles to a vast area of the most valuable fruit lands of America.

Having understood from Mr. Disston that it was his policy to open up a portion of the "Disston Purchase" to prompt and valuable settlement by people of thrift and enterprise, seeking new homes and opportunities for wealth, THE CONSTITUTION engaged him in a most interesting conversation on the subject. The facts and figures he gave us are so remarkably tempting and yet so fully substantiated that they really open to young men and farmers a veritable El Dorado for profitable labors.

"Mr. Disston, what is the character of the scheme you have for populating and improving your Florida property?"

"You recollect that I purchased from the board of internal improvements, four millions of acres of land for $1,000,000. By the terms of the contract I was to take contiguous lands and in large areas, thereby throwing a large percentage of it beyond the reach of the present meagre facilities for transportations in southern Florida. It will come with the extension of these facilities that the greater bulk will fall into the category of saleable lands for actual occupation and cultivation. For some years, therefore, those lands will not be upon the market, but it is a part of my scheme and of the associated companies to improve up to them and gradually bring them, with the finest facilities, upon the market under good demand and at fair prices. In order to make this the sooner possible, we are now engaged in selling certain of the available lands and organizing such large schemes for improvements as will not only make these the favorite lands of the south, but make the entire transaction one of the most profitable and beneficent ever undertaken in the interest of any state."

"How much land have you that is now open to purchase and profitable employment?"

"According to the grading of lands, a work performing by the best experts in Florida lands, there are about 20 per cent or 800,000 acres, of the lands that are desirable and in every respect adaptable for immediate and profitable settlement and location."

"Where are they located?"

"They are in the counties of Orange, Sumter, Hernando, Hillsborough, Polk, Valusia, Manatee and Monroe—reaching entirely across the peninsula from the Atlantic coast to the gulf, and embracing many of the most profitable, fertile and valuable lands in Florida. They were selected with great care out of the state lands by men of thorough knowledge, and specially because they were lands likely to come earliest into public demand. They are among the most valuable lands in the state, on account of climate and soil, and their great adaptability for the cultivation of semi-tropical fruits and staple crops."

"Are you personally putting these lands on sale?"

"No, not as my individual enterprise. I have already received the carefully made up and approved deeds of the state to 620,000 acres of the land. To prepare these deeds is a work of great labor, involving examinations of the records all the way back to the original United States grants. The lands are now being entered and classified. I have sold to the Atlanta and Gulf Coast canal and Okeechobee Land company, of Florida, 200,000 acres of the selected lands in the counties named, to the extent of 25,000 acres in each of the eight counties. This company was chartered by special act of the legislature of Florida, March 8, 1881, for the purpose of purchasing and improving certain tracts of land in Florida, the building of canals and other lines of transportation, and the carrying on of all other business incidental thereto. It is this company that has the concessions to drain lake Okeechobee, reclaiming 8,000,000 acres of land and receiving therefor one-half of all the lands so reclaimed. This work is now in progress, and is shown indisputably to be feasible and possible at a very nominal outlay of money. Colonel Ingham Coryell, our general superintendent, says he will bind himself to cut either the east coast or west coast canal for $150,000 and to complete both in one year. The west coast canal will drain Okeechobee so as to lower it for six feet and thereby reclaim from overflow and freshet 8,000,000 acres, 500,000 of which are especially adapted to the culture of sugar cane and would sell for $100 per acre readily. The company also own the franchise for a steamboat canal along the east coast of Florida. This they can secure by short cuttings between waters, giving three hundred and thirty miles of safe inland navigation along the borders of some of the finest lands in she world, including those of the famous Indian river. They have already connected Lake Tohopekaliga with Kissimee river, permitting safe navigation and needed transportation from Orange county to Lake Okeechobee. So you see it is a company not only of vast possibilities but of almost resistless enterprise."

"That is all very interesting to know, but the practical point is an answer to the question: 'How can I get some of those lands?'"

"That is easily answered. The company has a capital of $10,000,000, but have, for the purpose of starting immigration and securing settlements upon the lands, declared an issue of 50,000 shares of the stock at par at $10 per share, with a bonus of forty acres of selected land for each subscription of ten shares. In other words, on the payment to me, as treasurer of $100 the company will issue the subscriber ten shares at par of the stock of the company, which will participate in the benefits arising from the improvement of lands by the company, and land warrants entitling him to the immediate selection and deed for forty acres of the choice lands of the company in any one of the eight counties I have already referred to. And these lands are to-day worth every dollar of the money asked, without reference to the benefits to be derived on the stock.'

"Do you take an application for less than ten shares?"

"No; it would not be worth the while of making the selection and a deed to less than forty acres."

"Do you throw in a mule with the forty acres?"

"No. That sort of thing has played out with a lot of other chimeras. We are engaged in a great work of public improvement out of which we expect to make a profit and likewise to confer blessings upon individuals and prosperity on the whole people of a beautiful state with vast resources of wealth yet to be developed. I am not growing eloquent for fun, but because the subject almost forces what would appear to strangers an extravagant estimate of the advantages and prospects of this enterprise."

"Are there many investors in these shares?"

"A great many. There are already in Florida, or preparing to go, some two to three thousand people who have taken shares and are prospecting to make their own selections. You see, a purchaser of the stock can either make his own selection or we will make it for him. With the natural curiosity of the human race, the majority of them propose to see for themselves and the consequence is a large migration of young men, small farmers and invalids seeking health and homes to Florida and to these favored localities where our lands are located. There will be several thousand tracts of from 40 to 160 acres each thus located the present season by persons who will become actual residents and thrifty producers of the varied products of Florida that are daily growing in demand."

"How about the climate and populations in those counties where your lands are situated?"

Within the counties from which the purchaser may make his selections are the towns of Sanford, Apopka, Mellonville, Arantia, Orlando, Leesburg, Sumterville, Brooksville, Tampa, Manatee, Charlotte Harbor, Punta Gorda, Punta Rassa, Bartow and many other thriving villages, while new ones are constantly springing up as the result of immigration. Of the population, Orange, Sumter, Hernando, Hillsborough and Polk counties numbering 29,243 in 1880, only 3780, are black, thus showing the character of immigration that is settling this section. The climate of the peninsular part of this state is known to be unsurpassed for salubrity. The region occupied by the greater part of the lands in question is pre-eminent in this respect. Below the average frost line and swept from ocean to gulf by refreshing breezes, during both day and night, they are alike exempt from chilling winds in winter and oppressive heat in summer. The thermometer seldom goes below 30° in winter, and rarely above 90° in summer."

"What are the crops that can be raised promptly and profitably in those localities and on these lands?"

"The lands, as a rule, are worked with less labor and expense than anywhere north, the friability of the soil making the item of labor as three to five in comparison with lands in the north, and the great variety of crops to which the settler may turn his attention are noted as follows: He may raise rye, corn, oats, rice, beans, peas, etc., or cotton, tobacco, sugar, indigo, sisal hemp, jute, etc.; Irish potatoes, sweet potatoes, yams, turnips, beets, cabbages, rutabagas, squashes, etc.; or strawberries, melons, tomatoes, cucumbers, etc.; or go largely into fruits, as oranges, limes, lemons, peaches, figs, grapes, paw paw, plums, etc.; or in more southern portion of the state he may include the cocoanut, pine apple, banana, plaintain, guava, etc. Cassava, arrow-root and comptie are receiving marked attention, due to their astonishing yield per acre, and the large return realized by those engaged in their cultivation. All crops, whether of fruits or vegetables, mature so much earlier than further north, that the producers receive a three-fold price as compared with other parts of the United States. Fifty-six hundred crates of vegetables were shipped north in 1874. During 1880 no less than 405,000 creates were sent to the same markets; a few years hence, at the same ratio, it is estimated that the shipments in this line alone will reach 4,000,000 crates. During 1880, at least 50 million oranges were shipped from the state; the estimated shipment for 1881 is set at 80 million oranges; while the total annual consumption of the United States is estimated at 700 millions. The means of access to these lands, and the facilities for shipping produce, are considerations of the first importance. By steamer or rail communication is rapid, direct and cheap with all parts of the United States. Four lines of railroad are now building and projected, which, either independently or by connection with other roads and steamer lines, will soon afford unbroken communication by several competing routes from the Gulf ports of Tampa, Charlotte harbor, Punta Rassa, etc., through these lands to Jacksonville, Fernandina and other points on the Atlantic coast."

"Then, with small, well-cultivated market farms and orange groves and with the promised increase in transportation routes, you believe new comers to Florida can thrive and make homes, if not fortunes?"

"Thousands are already doing so. The inducements we are giving will make thousands more go to Florida, where a man can clear his ground, plant and reap a profitable crop the same season. We do not need to argue this, for it is a fact that is notorious wherever the name of Florida is known. In fact, Florida is the easiest place for a man to make a living out of the soil that the world has ever known. In this boom which is taking so many progressive men there is just the time for young men to leave barren professions and win a competence for themselves and a future family in the honorable work of easy and honorable agriculture; it is the season when the exhausted, disheartened farmer can leave the bleak hills of the northwest, the stony hills of Vermont, and the worn-out fields of the middle states and tickle the kindly ground of Florida into laughing harvests. A deed to forty acres and a tent is about all that any plucky young fellow needs to make a start in these lands. They are among the best in Florida, and no man is compelled to buy them."

"I see Governor Bloxham is in the city, and I heard him say as much."

"Yes; he knows the value of this enterprise to his state. Until I made this purchase and these contracts there was a dead drag in the demand for Florida public lands, but now they are in active demand; a state board of immigration has been organized, public interest has centered upon the work that my associates and myself are engaged in, and the result is visible in the rapid decrease of the public debt of Florida, the bringing into the treasury of a vast sum in taxes from lands heretofore not assessed, in the rapid increase of the assessable value of improved lands and the influx of several blocks of productive capital from foreign sources."

"Do you think the whole affair will work out to your satisfaction."

"Undoubtedly, and beyond all our expectations. All we need is the settlement among us of enterprising men from the south, the east and the north—men of nerve, character and industry—and we will soon make Florida, through the arts of the husbandman, what she is by nature—the garden spot of the world—our American Italy."

"Who form this company, of which you are the treasurer, as I understand?"

"The officers are: Samuel H. Grey, president; J. J. Dunne, vice-president; Colonel Ingham Coryell, general superintendent; Hamilton Disston, treasurer; William Culbertson, secretary; James M. Kreamer, engineer. The directors are: Samuel H. Grey, Camden, New Jersey; William H. Wright, J. J. Dunne, W. H. Drake, Hamilton Disston, Philadelphia; A. P. K. Safford, New York city; W. C. Parsons, Arizona; Colonel Ingham Coryell, Florida; and the officers are at northeast corner Third and Chestnut streets, Philadelphia; 115 Broadway (rooms 111 and 113), New York, and Jacksonville, Florida.

"And if a person wanted information, maps, blanks for subscriptions, or any other document with reference to the scheme of improvement, he could get them on application to either of those offices?"

"Yes, with pleasure."

This ended our interview with Mr. Disston, but not our investigations into the mertis of his undertaking or the value of the lands he has thus put upon the markets. They are universally esteemed by all the Floridians we have met, and numbers of our Atlanta people who own property in the same counties of Florida, declare them good, and that this is an exceptional opportunity to secure happy homes in the "Land of Flowers."

NORTH GEORGIA CONFERENCE

The Appointments for the Next Year.

The following are the appointments for the Atlanta circuit.

Atlanta District—Jesse Boring, presiding elder; First church, C A Evans; Trinity and Pierce chapel, T R Kendall; Evans chapel, H C Christian; Payne's charel, F G Hughes; St Paul's, W C Dunlap; Sixth church, H L Crumley; City Mission, W R Branham, Sr; Edgewood, R J Bigham; DeKalb, J B Allen; East Point, W W Oslin; Fulton circuit, to be supplied; Decatur and Clarkston, W D Heath; Lithonia, W F Quillian; Conyers, D L Anderson; Covington, W F Robison; Oxford, J L Pierce and A G Haygood; Newberne, E A Gray; Norcross, J R Mayson; Orphan's Home, J L Lupo, superintendent, S P Jones, agent; Emory College, A G Haygood, president, M Calloway, professor, I S Hopkins, professor, W P Lovejoy, agent.

Miss Goldsmith's Death.

It is with the deepest regret that THE CONSTITUTION this morning chronicles the death of Miss Lizzie E. Goldsmith, which occurred at her father's residence on Peachtree street Sunday morning at half past seven o'clock. After suffering four weeks with the gentleness and meekness which were prominent characteristics of her spotless life, she went gently to sleep, and without a struggle her soul returned to its giver. Just twenty years of age, upon the threshold of life, she was required to surrender that which was so dear to others.

Although we will miss her bright and beautiful face, we can but feel assured that her soul has been transplanted to that garden above where only flowers of beauty and purity bloom. By her bright and buoyant nature she made many friends and scattered sunshine into every heart. Though always bright and happy, yet she possessed a deep and serious nature. She was remarkably consiqerate and sympathetic, and by her many virtues entwined herself around the hearts of many friends who mourn her untimely death.

At 2:30 o'clock yesterday, a large concourse of he many friends gathered at the First Baptist church to pay a last tribute to her memory Drs. Gwin and Hornady conducted the services. Dr. Gwin spoke beautifully of her sweet Christian life. Being her pastor he had many opportunities to test her faith and had watched with pride her lovely life. He said that he knew of no young lady in his circle of acquaintances who was so devoted to her mother, father, brothers and sisters. He had seen her at home and watched with admiration her innocent and caressing manners, as sweet as a little babe on its mother's breast, and yet ever helpful in the overwhelming responsibilities which devolved upon her. She was to the children a second mother and he felt assured that she was now reaping as her reward eternal joy and peace. Dr. Hornaday then made a few appropriate and impressive remarks, after which the remains were conveyed to the cemetery and placed beside those of loved ones gone before.

The pall-bearers were Messrs. Phil Haralson, Walter Venable, E. C. Spalding, J. W. Hughes, J. H. Allingsworth and J. F. Kellam.

At the Kimball from Georgia.

Miss Sallie Mustin, Madison; Frank I Cohen, Rome; Edward Schaefer, Toccoa; G W Barnes, A D Savage, S H Myers, J Asher, J T Marshall, J J Callaher, Mrs Clanton, Augusta; R S McFarland and wife, LaGrange; Mrs Rood, Marietta; A A Neal wife and daughter, J H Casey and wife, S W Wynn, Washington; W M Howard, Lexington; Mrs W F Jackson, Miss Fannie C Jackson, C B F Lowe and wife, John Branson and son, Augusta; T N Arnold, Newnan; R J Powell, Barnesville; T B Wardlaw, S H Myers, J T Wemhall, P B Patterson, Augusta; Thomas C Hogue and wife, Russell Hogue, Washington; R A Fleming, T C Bligh, T F F Cenigg, G L Hooty and daughter, Miss M Gallahen, Augusta.

Ordinary's Court.

The court of ordinary of Fulton, Judge Calhoun presiding, met yesterday and disposed of the following business:

The will of James L. Mayson was admitted to record in common law, T. C. Mayson qualifying as executor.

The will of William Rushton was admitted to record in common form, Margaret S. Rushton qualified as executrix.

The will of John Broad set for hearing Friday next at 10 o'clock a.m.

Timothy Driscoll was allowed to file natural guardian's bond for his minor childen.

The will of Isaac W. Whitfield was admitted to record in common form, C. K. Maddox qualifying as executor.

Eugenie Johnson, et al., vs. J. S. Holliday, administrator, et al. Petition to set aside order for sale of land, set for Thursday, December 8, 10 a.m.

Clarissa J. Englett, guardian for her minor children, was granted leave to sell land.

T. C. Boykin, administrator of A. H. Boykin, deceased, was granted leave to sell land.

Russell C. Mitchell was appointed permanent administrator upon the estate of Isaac G. Mitchell.

Jesse L. Weathers was appointed permanent administrator upon the estate of S. Weathers.

C. A. Harrell, guardian of James R. Allen, was granted letters of dismissal.

A. M. Abercombie was granted permanent letters of administration upon the estate of Joseph Abercombie.

Jacob Haas was appointed permanent administrator upon the estate of B. L. Dann.

Anton L. Cox was appointed administrator upon the estate of Christian Cox.

J. A. DeFoor was appointed guardian of the property of Louida and Mollie O. Davis.

Maurice Rich was appointed guardian of Joseph Rich.

PERSONAL.

D. G. Mark, of the Detroit Free Press, is at the Markham.

Colonel Sam H. Buck, of New Orleans, and one of the staunchest friends of the exposition in that city, is at the Kimball.

Ex-Governor R. M. Patton and lady, of Florence, Ala., are registered at the Kimball house. Governor Patton will be one of the interested attendants upon the great Planters' convention.

Hon. George B. Loring, United States commissioner of agriculture, arrived in town at noon today. He will address the convention of cotton planters at the exposition grounds on Wednesday at 11 a.m. upon the "Mutual Relations of the American Industries." The commissioner is the guest of Director-General Kimball.

Among the prominent arrivals at the Exposition hotel to-day we notice the Hon. Ralph Emerson, with Mrs. Emerson, of Rockford, Ill. Mr. E. is president of the Standard manufacturing company, of Rockford, Ill., agricultural implements, and senior member of the firm of Emerson & Co., who have large real estate interest in Rockford, Chicago and Chicago suburbs. He has the reputation of being one of the longest headed business men of the northwest, and we are glad to see that class of men come here, for they can see the possibilities of our country, and when they see it are not afraid to invest their money in enterprises that will pay them.

Claire Scott.

Claire Scott, the great English actress, is now under the management of Mr. Frank J. Pilling, of Coup's circus, formerly manager of Annie Pixley and "Our Goblins" and he is confident of success. He has good reason to be, for his star is certainly sure of recognition as one of the great lights of the stage.—Cincinnati Enquirer, November 15, 18881.

General Babcock Looming up Again.

WASHINGTON, December 5.—A petition is in circulation requesting the president to appoint General O. E. Babcock superintendent of public buildings and grounds, the place formerly held by Colonel Rockwell.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

Attention is called to the advertisement of a great sale of lots which will take place at Hoschton.

There will be an interesting meeting of the Young Men's Christian association to-night, which will be of great interest.

The temperance meeting at temperance hall last night was fairly attended. The address by the temperance evangelists, Mr. Doutney, was marked by rare pathos and power.

Among the passengers en route to Atlanta Sunday by the Richmond and Danville road was a gentleman who was compelled to leave the train at Mt. Airy on account of a sudden illness and he died in a few minutes after entering Wilcox's hotel.

LET US HAVE PEACE!

Blackwell's Bull Holds the Fort.

The fort stands proudly on the hill,
Dismantled now, but once was full,
With dark-mouthed cannon designed to kill,
Now peacefully held by Blackwell's Bull.
The Blue and the Gray, as they meet in life.
With hands clasped, will forever forget
The shock of battle and deadly strife,
And seal their friendship with a Bull Cigarette.

BRIDAL GIFTS

The E Jaccard Jewelry Company

of St. Louis, has on exhibition and for sale at the exposition in Art hall the most beautiful collection of Gems, Diamond and Gem Jewelry, Watches, Repousse Silver work, Bisque Ornaments, Real Bronzes, Japanese Curios, etc., that have ever been seen in the south. These goods are offered for sale here by this old house, which was founded in 1829, at the same prices as are charged by them in St. Louis. An opportunity is offered to all who are contemplating the purchase of wedding, birthday, christening, anniversary or holiday gifts to procure them upon the most favorable terms. In addition to the above, orders will be received for wedding cards and invitations, visiting cards, menus, ball programmes, etc., which are executed by the Jaccard Jewelry Company in the most correct style.

Many a man thinks that it is his goodness that keeps him from crime, when it is only his full stomach. On half allowance he would be as ugly and knavish as anybody. Don't mistake potatoes for principles or counterfeits for the genuine Bull Durham smoking tobacco and cigarettes, but look for the bull on every package and every cigarette. None genuine without.

Watches in Art Hall,

Exposition Grounds.—A Rare Opportunity to Secure a Watch.

The E. Jaccard jewelry company of St. Louis having perfected arrangements with the American watch company, of Waltham, Massachusetts, for a full supply of their celebrated watches, are now prepared to sell at retail, in connection with their elegant exhibit of gems, diamond and gem jewelry, silver ware, bric-a-brac, etc., an immense variety of watches in gold and silver of every grade, at prices far below any heretofore offered. Every watch will be guaranteed to perform to the entire satisfaction of the purchaser.

E. JACCARD JEWELRY CO.,
of St Louis,
Art Building, Exposition Grounds.

It is as sweet as love, it is as pure as gold,
It is made of leaf both mild and old.
For sixteen years it has stood the test,
And smokers say it is the very best.

Blackwell's old, mild, mellow, pure and sweet Durham Bull Tobacco and Cigarettes. Look for the Bull on every package and on every cigarette; none genuine without it

Coffee drinkers should read the advertisement in another column headed Good Coffee.
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Frierson & Leak will sell at the court house to-day the Doyle and Eiswald estates. Call for plat at the office, and attend the sale at 10 o'clock. dec6 1t

EXPOSITION!

Headquarters for Supplying Board and Lodging,

NO. 28 WALL STREET.

Directly opposite central entrance to Union depot, (at Shelton's ticket office.)

Prompt attention given to visitors.

Persons who can furnish board or rooms to visitors, are earnestly requested to register same at above headquarters. H. I. KIMBALL, dec6d tf Director-General.

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HAVANA LOTTERY.

Extraordinary Drawing.

DECEMBER 23, 1881.

ONLY 18,000 TICKETS---532 PRIZES.

First Capital Prize	500,000 Pesos
Total Amount of Prizes	1,350,000 Pesos

The peso is worth 50 cents in United States Currency.

Price of Tickets, payable in advance: Whole, $65; halves, $32.50; quarters, $17; tenths, $7; twentieths, $3.50.

Address all orders to
L. FAGET,
New Orleans, La.,
dec6 dtilldec30 P. O. Box 582.

A GREAT SALE

OF LOTS WILL TAKE PLACE

AT HOSCHTON,

A NEW CITY LOCATED ON THE GAINESVILLE and Jug Tavern Railroad, 19 miles South of Gainesville, in Jackson county, Ga. One of the most prosperous sections in Georgia. Over

3,500 BAGS OF COTTON,
20,000 BUSHELS WHEAT,
25,000 BUSHELS OATS,
150,000 BUSHELS CORN,

now raised within five miles.

Bottom land in cultivation	5,000 acres
Upland in cultivation	25,000 acres

16 cotton gins now running. 5 grist mills now running, all within 5 miles.

Hosch & Bros have one of the finest water powers in Georgia within $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles of the place.

The Railroad will soon be there, as they are now laying iron from Gainesville.

Sale to be at public outcry, and will take place December 21, 1881.

For full particulars write to
JOHN R. HOSCH.
Hosch's Store, Jackson county, Ga.
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NOTICE

—TO—

MERCHANTS.

AT THE REQUEST OF A LARGE NUMBER of Exhibitors and Merchants who desire to have complimentary tickets to issue to friends and visitors the Executive Committee have ordered and have now ready handsome ENGRAVED ADMISSION TICKETS for sale in lots of ten and upwards. Price,

50 CENTS EACH.

These tickets may be had of Major Leyden, Chief of the Department of Admissions, at the Park, of J. F. Cummings & Co., Broad street, in the city.
H. I. KIMBALL,
dec6—d1t Director General.

Quarterly Statement of State Finances

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT STATE OF GEORGIA,
ATLANTA, GA., Oct. 4, 1881.

Abstract of Quarterly Reports of the financial condition of the State for the three months made by the Comptroller and Treasurer to the Governor under Article 7, Section 15, of the Constitution of Georgia:

RECEIPTS.

Balance in Treasury July 1, 1881	$ 774,054 47
General tax	6,400 97
Liquor tax	17,635 25
Railroad tax	19,437 91
Special taxes	2,902 61
Insurance taxes	8,366 39
Rental Western and Atlantic Railroad	75,000 00
Sale North and South Railroad	40,500 00
Other sources	9,252 91
	$955,323 70

DISBURSEMENTS.

Civil establishment	$22,166 64
Contingent fund	2,398 30
Public debt	21,060 00
Special appropriations	20,124 24
Lunatic Asylum	33,761 08
School fund	24,557 67
Penitentiary fund	17,260 38
Railroad Commission	2,383 33
Land Scrip fund	3,157 07
Reporter Supreme Court	1,750 00
Other expenses	8,244 25
Balance in Treasury September 30, 1881	798,520 77
	$955,323 70

Ordered, That the foregoing abstract of the Reports of the Comptroller General and Treasurer, which I have examined and found correct, be published in THE ATLANTA CONSTITUTION and Atlanta Post-Appeal.

By the Governor:
ALFRED H. COLQUITT, Governor.
I. W. AVERY, Sec. Ex. Dept. dec6—1t

A married man falling into misfortune is more apt to retrieve his situation in the world than a single man, and next to sweet woman, nothing serves to retrieve like the smoking of Blackwell's pure, mild sweet and fragrant cigarettes; but be sure that the bull is on each cigarette, as that is the true guarantee of purity.

FULTON SHERIFF'S SALES—WILL BE SOLD before the court house door, in the city of Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, on the first Tuesday in January, 1882, the following property to-wit: All that tract or parcel of land, in the city of Atlanta, Fulton county, Georgia, which adjoins the property originally sold to the Schofield rolling mill company, beginning on the right of way on the southwest side of the Western and Atlantic railroad, and running west along the line of the said property, originally bought by the said Schofield rolling mill company, to the east side of Gray street, three hundred and seventy-three and a half ($373\frac{1}{2}$) feet, more or less, to a point sixty feet from A. C. Vining's property; thence east, running parallel with and sixty feet from said Vining's property and line, to the right of way of the Western and Atlantic railroad, and from thence along said right of way to the beginning point: levied on as the property of the Atlanta rolling mill company, by virtue of, and to satisfy a fi. fa. issued from Fulton superior court in favor of L. E. Pearson, executor of O. W. Bartlett, deceased, against the Atlanta rolling mill company.

Also, at the same time and place, all that tract or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in the 14th district of Fulton county, Georgia, the same being the east half of land lot number eighty-seven (87), containing one hundred one and a fourth acres, more or less, less all the land heretofore sold to Mrs. Josiah Sherman, and comprising fifty acres and fully described in the deed heretofore made to her by Michael Gardner. The said property hereby levied on, being the remaining part of said east half of said land lot eighty-seven, and containing fifty-one and a quarter acres, more or less. Levied on as the property of Michael Gardner, by virtue of, and to satisfy a mortgage fi. fa. issued from Fulton superior court in favor of George W. Adair vs. Michael Gardner. A. M. PERKERSON, Sheriff.
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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF an order of the court of ordinary of Fulton county, Georgia, at its December term, 1879, will be sold before the courthouse door of said county, in Atlanta, on the first Tuesday in January next, (January, 1882), within the legal hours for public sales, at public outcry to the highest bidder, all that tract or parcel of land, situate, lying and being in said county, commonly called "the barracks," more particularly described as follows, known and designated as the Swift race track, the same being one mile in circumference and including all the land inside the same, being part of original land lot (108) one hundred and eight, in the (14) fourteenth district of originally Henry, now Fulton county, Georgia, containing fifty acres, more or less, lying and being within the incorporate limits of the city of Atlanta and the town of West End. This property is now in possession of the United States, and the buildings thereon belong to the United States; that possession will terminate on the twenty-seventh (27th) day of January, (1882), eighteen hundred and eighty-two, and owners of such buildings will have until that day to remove the same, when purchasers under this sale must have possession of said land. This sale covers the land only, and is made for distribution between the heirs of Thomas Alexander, late of said county, to whom said land belonged.

Terms of sale, one-third cash, one-third at six months, and one-third at twelve months after date of sale, with interest at the rate of eight per cent per annum till paid, the purchasers to get bonds for titles and deeds, when last payment is made.
B. H. BROOMHEAD,
Administrator of Thomas Alexander, deceased.
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IN MEMORIAM.

MATTIE DEAN.

GIRL'S HIGH SCHOOL, December 1, 1881.

"All rough winds are hushed and silent—light the meadow steepeth—
And the last November flowers daily wax more pale and fair;
They have laid a gathered blossom on the breast of one who sleepeth
With a sunbeam on her hair."

A fair flower has been transplanted from our earthly garden to the garden of paradise.

The third of our class-mates who has been called away, we mourn her loss too deeply to express. Always gentle and affectionate, she had twined herself about our hearts, and we shall miss the sweet sound of her voice, and the pleasant smile on her fair countenance. We know that she is gone to a far happier and more beautiful world than this.

In her last moments, wiping the tears from the eyes of her sorrowing mother, she said:

"Weep not, dear mother; why should you weep for me? For soon in heaven an angel I shall be."

We will not try to offer comfort to the dear ones whose hearts are sore and weary at her loss, for—

"God hath marked each sorrowing day,
And numbered every secret tear,
And heaven's long age of bliss shall pay
For all His children suffered here."

Respectfully submitted,
IDA M. GARTRELL,
MINNIE QUINN,
ALLINE MAY BOSTICK,
LILY DOSIER,
LILLIE FRIERSON,
Atlanta. Committee.

AMUSEMENTS.

OPERA HOUSE.

4 NIGHTS, Commencing Monday, Dec. 5. | GRAND WEDNESDAY MATINEE.

Pure and Refined English Opera.

Mr. Chas. F. Ford begs to announce that, encouraged by the brilliant reception and success of his first appearance in the Gate City, he will return for a second season, when he will give the following refined operas;

TUESDAY, December 6th, } THE MASCOTTE.
WEDNESDAY, December 7th, } PATIENCE.
Wednesday MATINEE, } BILLEE TAYLOR

And for the first time in America, the sparkling and beautiful new opera of

Thursday, Dec. 8th, } THE MUSKETEERS.

These four operas will be given with the full strength of a superb company of thirty artists, first-class choruses, and the brilliant young English Prima Dona.

MISS MADELEINE LUCETTE,

Prices as usual. Reserved seats 25c extra. Will be on sale Thursday, December 1st at Phillips & Crew's Music Store, Marietta street.
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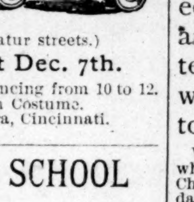

(Corner Pryor and Decatur streets.)

Wednesday Night Dec. 7th.

Skating from 8 to 10. Dancing from 10 to 12.
All Skaters will be in Costume.
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To make home happy, your wife pleasant, your children beautiful, a good taste in your mouth, a sweet breath and a clear conscience, smoke Blackwell's mild, mellow, pure and sweet Bull Durham Cigarettes. Prescribed by all the leading physicians.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR ALDERMAN.

—MR T G HEALEY is announced as a candidate for Alderman at large by citizens of Atlanta.
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—The friends of Mr LITT C JONES respectfully announce him as a candidate for Alderman large. Election to be held December 7th, 1881.

FOR COUNCIL—FIRST WARD.

—We are authorized to announce Dr. W. D. MITCHELL as a candidate for Council from the First Ward. oct2—dte

—The friends of MAJOR D A COOK announce him as a candidate for council from the First Ward
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—At the solicitation of numerous friends in all the wards of the city, I have consented to become a candidate for the city council from the First Ward Election on seventh of next December. I have neither the time or inclination to enter into an active canvass, but if elected I will faithfully di charge my duty to the very best of my ability.
nov3—dtd J. OLIN CLARIDY.

FOR COUNCIL—SECOND WARD.

—We are authorized to announce the name WM. LAIRD for councilman from the Second ward.
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—FRANK T. RYAN, formerly Clerk of City Council, is announced as a candidate for Councilman from the Second Ward. oct29—dtde

FOR COUNCIL—THIRD WARD.

—ZACK W ADAMSON, is hereby announced as a candidate for councilman from the Third Ward Election first Wednesday in December, 1881.
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—The friends of W. H. FRIZZELL announce him as a candidate for Council from the Third Ward. Election December 7th, 1881. oct19—dtf

FOR COUNCIL—FOURTH WARD.

—Dr. FRED KING is a candidate for council from the Fourth Ward, and asks the support of his friends throughout the city. nov4tde

—The friends of WM H HOWELL announce him as a candidate for councilman from the Fourth Ward at the election in December next. td

—The friends of A. M. REINHARDT, Esq., of the Fourth Ward, will support him for Councilman at the ensuing election in December next.
oct12—dtde MANY FRIENDS.

FOR COUNCIL—FIFTH WARD

—The friends of W C REYNOLDS respectfully announce him as a candidate for Councilman from the Fifth Ward. oct13 td

—J. S. LESTER is hereby announced as a candidate for Council from the Fifth Ward. Election December 7th, 1881. oct14—dtde

—The friends of Captain ROBERT L. BARRY announce him as a candidate for Council from the Fifth Ward. nov17—dtde

THE NORTH EASTERN CIRCUIT.

"ORDERED THAT THE NORTH EASTERN Circuit be placed between the Blue Ridge and Western Circuits on the dockets of this Court for the next term.

"Ordered further, That notice of this order be published as required by law."

The above is a true extract from the minutes of the Supreme Court of the State of Georgia.

Atlanta, Ga., December 5th, 1881.
Z. D. HARRISON,
dec6—d1aw3w tues Clerk S. C. Ga.

GUARDIAN'S SALE—BY VIRTUE OF AN ORder of the ordinary of Fulton county, granted at the December term of his court, 1881, I will sell in front of the court house door of said county, within the legal hours of sale, on the first Tuesday in January next, (1882), the following property of my minor children, William E., Eddie L., Charles O., and Emma G. Englett, to-wit: A four-fifths undivided interest in a lot in the city of Atlanta, Ga., described as follows: Fronting three hundred and forty-five (345) feet on Jackson street, and extending back same width one hundred and twenty five (125) feet, adjoining Friedman and Loveman's lot. Terms cash. CLARISSA J. ENGLETT,
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ADMINISTRATOR'S SALE—GEORGIA, FULton County—By virtue of a special order of the Court of Ordinary of said county, granted at the November term, 1881, thereof, will be sold on the premises at public auction, on the first Tuesday in December next, between the usual hours of sale, the following described property, to-wit: A lot of land on the corner of Gilmer and Ivy streets, in the city of Atlanta, and county aforesaid, fronting on Ivy street, one hundred and fifty-three (153) feet more or less, and running back along Gilmer street, two hundred and thirty-two feet, more or less, and bounded on the southeast by property formerly owned by J. L. Hopkins, and on the south by Mrs. Hollingsworth's property, being city lot No. 94, and north half city lot No. 5, in land lot 52, of the 14th district, Fulton county. Said property will be subdivided and platted before the day of sale, and plats may be seen at the clerk's office, superior court of said county. Sold as the property of the estate of Sarah Mead, deceased, for the payment of debts and distribution among the heirs at law, of said deceased. Terms, cash. C. H. STRONG,
Administrator of Mrs. Sarah Mead, deceased.
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ADMINISTRATRIX'S SALE—GEORGIA, FULton county.—By virtue of an order of the Court of Ordinary of said county, will be sold at public auction, on the first Tuesday in December next, between the usual hours of sale, at the Court-house door in said county, one lot fronting on the west side of the Macon and Western Railroad Right-of-way fifty feet, more or less, and running back west, same width, along the north side of Joyner street, one hundred and twenty feet to Crabb street, being part of land lot number 85, in the 14th district of said county. Sold as the property of the estate of John D. Cameron, deceased, for the payment of the debts of his estate. Terms cash.
TOCCOA I. CAMERON,
Administratrix of John D. Cameron, deceased.
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Administrator's Sale.

BY VIRTUE OF AN ORDER GRANTED BY the Court of Ordinary of Terrell county, Georgia, will be sold at the door of the court house in Fulton county, between the legal hours of sale, on the first Tuesday in January next, one house and lot on Houston street, Atlanta, Ga., and one lot $66\frac{2}{3}$x300 feet on Peachtree street, outside and near the corporate limit line of the city of Atlanta.

Sold as the property of the estate of Reuben Geise, late of Terrell county, deceased.

Terms of sale, $\frac{1}{3}$ cash, balance one and two years, with 8 per cent interest. O. N. GEISE,
Administrator.
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THE LAND WE LIVE IN.

WHAT THE PEOPLE ARE DOING, SAYING AND THINKING.

Disastrous Fire in Marietta—The Flames in Flowery Branch—Randolph on the Liquor Question—A Murder Trial in Dawson—The North Georgia Methodist Conference.

By Mail and Wire to The Constitution.

ATHENS, December 3.—At the session yesterday evening a ballot for delegates to the general conference was taken. The following were elected on first ballot: Clerical—W. H. Potter, A. G. Haygood, W. F. Cook, J. Boring, H. H. Parks. Lay—C. D. McCutcheon and James Jackson. A second ballot will be taken this morning, the conference being entitled to two more clerical and five more lay delegates. The characters of all the elders in the LaGrange and Rome districts were passed. This completed this call, and the characters of all the preachers were passed. The board of finance submitted a report of appropriations to the claimants on the conference collection, and the appropriations were adopted. The conference adopted a resolution requesting Rev. R. W. Bigham to prepare a book on the subject of prayer. The case of Rev. R. A. Conner, left effective, was reconsidered and he was granted a superannuated relation. Religious exercises were conducted in the session of this morning by Rev. W. J. Scott. The following were admitted on trial into the conference: Thomas S. Hubert, C. V. Weathers, William T. Hamby, Joseph A. Tardy (and being appointed a missionary by the bishop to New Mexico he was elected to deacons orders), J. S. L. Sappington, F. D. Cantrell, L. G. Turner. LaGrange and Dalton were voted on as the place of the next conference. LaGrange got 83 votes and Dalton 70. J. E. Evans and H. J. Adams, were elected delegates to the general conference, and J. W. Heidt, Dr. J. Myrich, C. A. Evans and S. P. Richardson, reserves. The following lay delegates were elected: W. M. Sessions, W. A. Turner, C. P. Crawford, R. M. McIntosh, W. Boyd. Reserves; J. B. Hunnicutt, Y. L. G. Harris, J. S. Stewart, J. A. Wynn. Rev. W. P. Lovejoy addressed the conference in behalf of Emory college, and asked for $2,600 to pay a debt on the college. The debt the first of the year was $15,000. Mr. Seney gave $5,000 for its liquidation, on condition that the church would raise the other ten thousand. All has been raised now but about $4,000. The collection to-day will run far up toward the amount called for, and the debt will certainly be paid by the end of the year. The board of fund of special relief distributed funds to claimants. The board of finance reported the amount allowed the superanuated preachers and the widows and orphans to be $9,028, and the amount raised $8,346.95. The amount assessed for the bishops was $1,350, and the amount raised $1,392.10. The board distributed the funds to the claimants. Missionary anniversary will be held to-night, Dr. Wilson to deliver the address. Bishop McTyeire and Dr. Wilson are to preach to-morrow at First church; J. W. Heidt and W. A. Candler at Presbyterian; J. S. Hopkins and L. J. Davies at Baptist, and J. D. Hammond and W. R. Branham, Jr., at Oconee street. Conference adjourned.

CAMILLA, December 3.—Superior court, Hon. L. P. D. Warren presiding, has been in session the entire week. The following colored troopers fell victims to the majesty of the law; A. H. Crawford, burglary, sentence two years in penitentiary; George Washington and wife said guilty to charge of assault and battery, $10 each and costs, or three months apiece in chain-gang; Allen Kendrick and Sol Washington entered pleas of guilty to larceny from the house, sentence 12 months chain-gang, each, to be discharged on payment of $100 and costs apiece; Miles Stephens said guilty to simple larceny, sentence 6 months chain-gang, or $20 and costs.——On Friday suitable resolutions expressing the regret of the bar at the death of one of its members, James H. Spence—cut down in the glory of his young manhood by consumption's deadly blight—were read and adopted. Hons. G. J. Wright and C. O. Davis delivered brief and appropriate eulogies to his memory.——Miss Laura Bullard, a well-connected and pretty young lady skipped the country with a negro Friday night; it is supposed for Florida.——Mr. Ed Twitty, one of Camilla's most promising young men, died here to-day of typhoid fever. ——The grand jury returned "no bill" in the case of the State vs. James A. and John Jones, charged with arson. These gentlemen are the persons whose arrest for arson and discharge by the examining magistrates caused such a sensation a few days before court, in this town. Both are prominent merchants and do a large business.——Percy D. Campbell, of Bainbridge, was by Judge Warren appointed court reporter.——John F. Thompson, of Arlington, was admitted to the bar after a very creditable examination in open court.

DAWSON, December 4.—The new bell ordered for the college here has been received and put in position. The bell weighs about 650 pounds and is of fine tone.——Dr. J. T. Sims, an old and excellent citizen of this county, died last night from an apoplectic stroke.——Judge Hood on yesterday afternoon adjourned Terrell superior court till the fourth Monday in January. The important case of The State vs. W. R. Durham (charged with murder of M. D. White last July) was taken up last Thursday morning and consumed nearly three days resulting in a mistrial.

MARIETTA, December 5.—A fire occurred here this morning, burning several stores. Dobbs lost $3,000, insurance $1,700; Wade White lost $4,500, insurance $3,500; J. W Bozeman lost $1,000, no insurance; W. L. Barnes lost $5,000, insurance $4,000; Raphael Hirsch lost $15,000, insurance $16,500; Wm. Root lost $9,000, insurance $7,500; L. B. Owen, insurance $1,800, covering stock; J. W. Metcalf lost $400, insurance $215.

CARROLLTON, December 5.—Married, at 5 o'clock a. m., by the Rev. W. W. Roop, Colonel W. S. Tanner, a prosperous young planter, and Miss Maggie E. Chambers, daughter of Major W. B., the popular host of the Chambers house. The happy couple left immediately after the ceremony for the exposition. Their many friends wish them a long and happy life.

CONYERS, December 5.—At the election held here Saturday for mayor and alderman; the following was the result: Colonel J. C. Barton, mayor: A. J. Pierce, J. A. Stewart, Jr., G. W. Clemmons, John H. Almond, C. V. Sanford, H. Y. McCord, aldermen. This place is no longer a station or town but a city, and we hope our friends will not forget the fact. The election passed off quietly.

CUTHBERT, December 3.—Terrell superior court adjourned to-day, and there will be no court there next week.——The election on granting license or no license to sell whisky in this county, will take place on Tuesday. There is a strong disposition to do away with the sale of liquor in this county.

MADISON, December 3.—Mr. George Turnell, one of the best citizens of our county, died last Tuesday night. Mr. Turnell was about 75 years old.

FLOWERY BRANCH, December 5.—A fire occurred here to-day destroying most of the business portion of the town.

Facts from the Georgia Press.

Thomasville Times.

We made brief mention last week of the brutal murder of Mrs. J. M. Clewis and her little child. At that time but few facts were known. We are enabled this week to give the following additional particulars: When Mr. Clewis returned home about five o'clock, the bodies of both wife and child were found lying near the door, both their heads having been crushed in with an ax. The bloody ax was found near the back door. The victims were not dead, but died in about an hour. Drs. Culpepper and Mallette were sent for but could do nothing for the dying ones The murderer, after the deed was committed, cut open a wardrobe with the ax, leaving the blood of his victims on the wood; he also broke open two trunks. He took four or five plugs of tobacco out of one of the trunks. In the other was some money, perhaps sixty dollars. This he failed to find. He took nothing else except an old fashioned shotgun. Mr. Clewis thinks, from the fresh blood pouring from the wounds and from the condition of his wife and child, that the deed had not been committed but a few minutes when he arrived home. The following is the verdict of the coroner's jury: We, the jury of inquest, held this 25th day of November, 1881, upon the bodies of Mrs. Margie Ann Clewis and her daughter, Ellena Clewis, do find by evidence and examination that the deceased came to their death on the night of November 24th by wounds received upon the head from a club axe in the hand of some person or persons to us now unknown. Dr. Culpepper, being sworn, testified as follows: "Upon examination I find upon the head of Mrs. Margie Ann Clewis three wounds—one on the left side of the face, fracturing the superior maxilary bone—one on the left temple, three inches in length, cutting through the muscular tissues and fracturing the temporal bone, and one on the back of the head, driving the tables of the occipital bone in the brain. Upon the head of Ellena Clewis I also find three wounds, one immediately over the left eye, 2½ inches long—one on the top of head, a little to the right, in front, about 3 inches long, crushing in the right parietal bone, and on the back of head near the upper edge of occipital bone, to the right, about 3 inches long, and crushed the upper edge of the occipital bone and posterior edge of right parietal bone. The wounds were made by some blunt instrument and any one of the wounds I consider sufficient to produce death." The reason why the brute murdered the innocent little girl is probably due to the fact that she knew him, and that talking plainly and being unusually intelligent, she would have told his name. A colored man, one Andrew Rogers, was arrested on suspicion, and tried before Justices Mardre and Stephens. The evidence, though circumstantial, was sufficient to bind him over. There was a strong disposition to lynch him, as the community were perfectly satisfied that he was the man. Wiser counsels prevailed and he was brought to Thomasville and lodged in jail. Threats being still made to take him out, Judge Hansell ordered Sheriff Hurst to take him to the Valdosta jail, where he is now securely confined. Rogers has a bad character. He has served one term in the penitentiary for arson and is regarded as a very brutal and dangerous character. The fact of him being allowed a hearing; an impartial trial by a jury, under all the circumstances, speaks well for the abiding character of the citizens of Thomas county. This is one of the bloodiest and most cowardly murders ever committed in the county. The law abiding citizens, white and colored, will wait, impatiently, for the hour when justice shall be meted out to the murderer.

Columbus Enquirer.

Last night a negro was in Pierre & Justice's store and wanted to get some whisky. They refused to sell it to him when he grew very boisterous and they had to put him out of the house. As they were closing the store about 12 o'clock he again came up and wanted to get some whisky. They again refused to let him have it, and he became very angry and began to curse and use very bad language. No attention was paid to him, and the merchants proceeded to close up the store. Mr. Pierre came outside for the purpose of fastening one of the windows with a bolt, and as he started in the door the negro struck him on the back of the head with a brick, remarking as he did so, "take that, damn you." Mr. Pierre was knocked down, and while he was being attended by those present the negro made his escape. Dr. Stanford and Dr. Grimes were immediately summoned and gave him medical attention. They found that his skull was fractured, and that a finger-nail would pass into the aperture. His wound is of a dangerous character, and may yet prove fatal. The negro works for Champagne & England, though none who were present knew his name. He will doubtless be arrested unless he leaves for parts unknown. Mr. Pierre is a quiet, inoffensive citizen, and it is to be regretted that he has met with this misfortune. He was removed to Mrs. Humber's boarding house last night, and will receive every attention,

Cumming Clarion.

At about half past eight o'clock last Friday night H. J. Patterson discovered his stables to be on fire. They were made double with a loft above. The loft was full of fodder and hay. When first seen the fire was in the south end of the loft in full blast, making the boards of the roof fairly tremble. One mule broke out of one of the stables, and a mule in the other was got out without injury. Wagon and buggy were saved. Wagon harness, buggy harness and plough gear were burned up. Loss about seventy-five dollars. Feeding was done before sundown. No one with fire or pipe and tobacco had been about the stables. At eight o'clock Mr. Patterson was in his yard, at which time there was no fire, and ten minutes afterwards, his little daughter calling his attention to the light, he saw the fire under full headway. Who did it? is the general inquiry, for that the fire did not originate itself or accidentally combust, there can be no doubt,

Athens Banner.

Mrs. Wright, the widow of the late H. Gregg Wright, of the Augusta Chronicle, was married Thursday evening to Mr. John G. Mobley, of Columbia, S. C.

Wayside Notes.

Pensacola fish is shipped by the car load to New Orleans.

Darlington, South Carolina, will soon have a $90,000 factory.

South Carolina state grange will meet in Columbia to-day.

Burglers are becoming very troublesome in Tuscaloosa, Alabama.

Carp fish caught in the Savannah river are now sold in Greenville, S. C.

The Virginia mountains are already clad in their winter garments of snow.

After the talk of drought the crops in upper Tennessee are better than they were last year.

It is estimated that the cost of living in Virginia has increased about one-third since last fall.

A colored boy at Clarksville, Tenn., killed himself a day or two since by trying to ride a bicycle.

The Claire Scott combination will lead off in the opening of Colonel Kyle's opera house in Gadsden, Alabama.

The work-house in Nashville is so infested with vermin that it is almost impossible for the prisoners there confined to keep clear of them.

Hon. J. S. Wise has started a movement to raise a fund to place a suitable monument over the grave of ex-President Tyler in Richmond.

Some Michigan gentlemen have started a mint farm near Columbus, Miss., and having found the one hundred acres previously cultivated so profitable, they will the coming season increase the acreage.

Jacob Thompson, who was born in North Carolina, and afterwards moved to Mississippi and became secretary of the interior before he took risks in the confederacy, now lives in Memphis. He is 71 years of age.

A family on Lower Creek, Lenoir, N. C., consisting of four women, who, during the past year, have spun 58,000 yards of thread, woven 135 yards of cloth and made up 383 yards of cloth into garments, besides doing the cooking and housework for a large family.

The quadrennial session of the Methodist church meets in Nashville, May 1st. At it five bishops will be elected. There are now remaining but two effective bishops, the others having died or are unable to attend to their duties.

The pulpit was set outside the church at Winslow, Texas, in order to give room for a stage on which to perform "Pinafore," and when again needed for use it was missing. Several weeks of search elapsed before it was found in a gambling house, where it had been altered into a faro table.

A. W. Strange, Esq., Lynchburg, Va., writes: "I use Dr. Bull's Cough Syrup regularly for a tickling cough at night. It gives relief and puts me to sleep. It is much used here." Price 25 cents a bottle.

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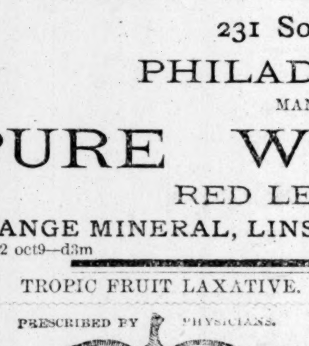

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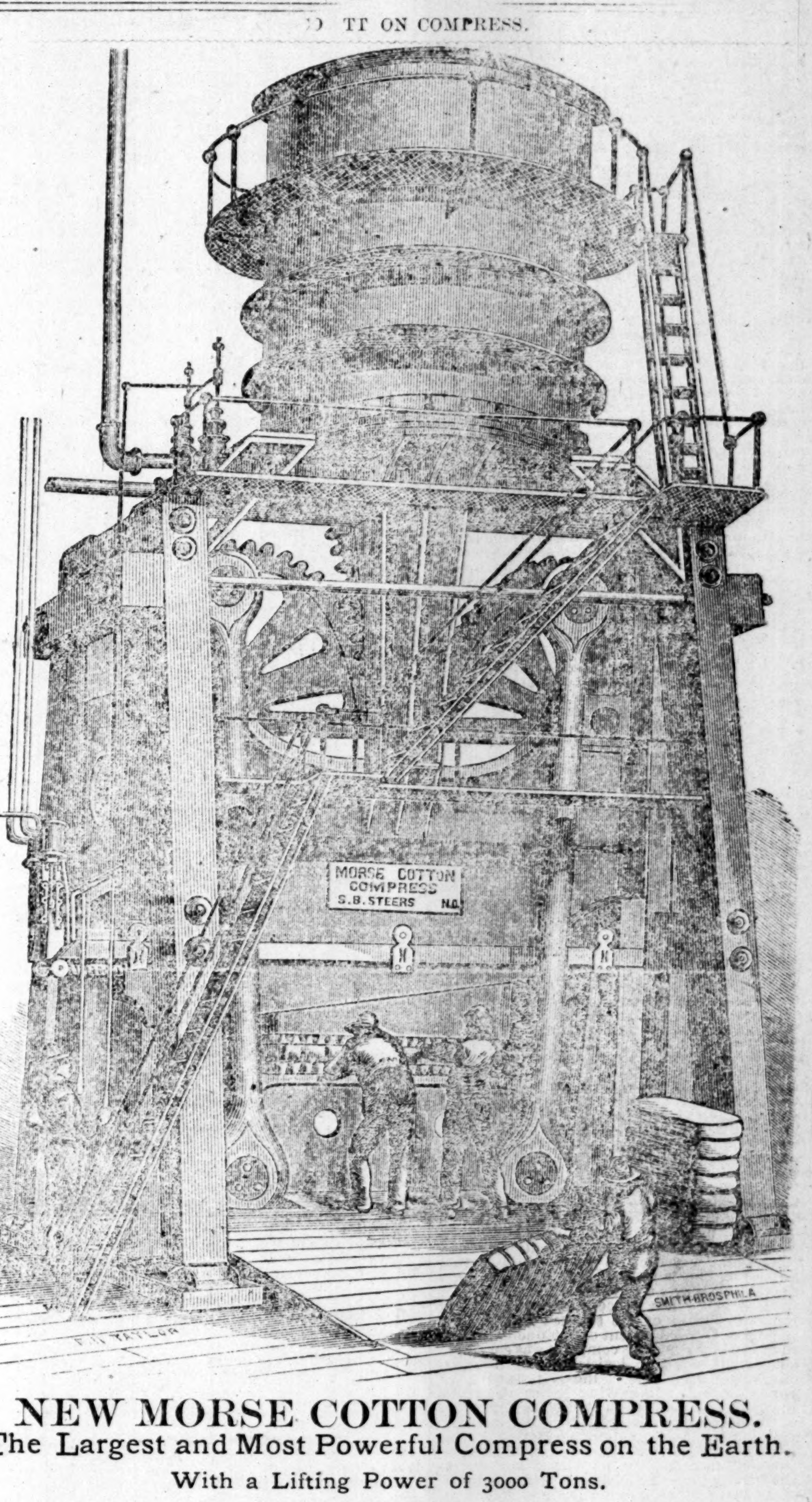

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LOCAL TIN-TYPES.

FROM OUR REPORTERS' POCKET CAMERAS.

Yesterday in the City—What was Done and Said by Home-Folks and Strangers--The Gossip of the Town as Taken on the Fly--In and About the Courts and Departments.

West End.—Municipal officers of West End, election Saturday, December 3d: A. B. Culberson, intendent; councilmen, John W. Rollo, Burgess Smith, J. M. McAfee, W. L. Stanton, Wm. McGaughey.

City Court.—The fall term of the city court began this morning, and the day was consumed in calling the civil docket. To-day verdicts will be taken by default and on Wednesday the jury cases will be begun.

Twenty-fifth Anniversary Ball.—The twenty-fifth anniversary ball, of Mechanic fire company No. 2, will take place at Concordia hall next Friday evening. The invitations are out and their nobby style indicates a grand affair. The gentlemen composing the various committees are all high-toned persons and their nam s guarantee a success.

Stealing Shoes.—Hill Harris was arrested yesterday by Officers Mercer and Simmons. The charge against Harris is larceny from the house. On Saturday, it is alleged, that he entered Mr. Mitchell's store on Peters street and stole a pair of shoes. When arrested the shoes were found in his possession. He will have a preliminary trial to-day.

Less two Fingers.—Yesterday morning Robert Jackson who works at Block's cracker factory was unfortunate enough to lose two fingers. He was engaged feeding a rolling machine when his left hand became entangled. The little finger and the one next to it was so badly crushed that amputation was found necessary. The operation was performed by Dr. Ridley.

Charged With Stealing Cotton.—H. F. Mitchell, a young white man, was yesterday arrested by Officer Pittman upon a warrant charging him with stealing cotton. The warrant was sworn out by a Mr. Baxter, of Doraville, who alleges that the accused stole two bales of cotton from him one day last week, and that he followed him to Atlanta, where the cotton was sold.

The New Street Car.—Yesterday evening the first car on the Wheat street line made its appearance. The track is now completed to Jackson street, and in a day or two the regular trips will begin. The company has purchased two handsome cars, at a cost of $1,000 each, and in a short time others will be added. The stables for the present will be located on Jackson street.

Superior Court.—The Fulton superior court was in session again yesterday, Judge Hillyer, presiding. Early in the morning the case of Bell vs. Brumby, was called and when the hour for adjournment arrived a conclusion had not been reached. The further hearing of the Hook & Smith case which was set for yesterday morning was postponed until to-day.

A Colored Theological School.—Rev. Mr. Gaines, of the Big Bethel church, paid last week about $1,300 on a lot bought by the church, on which a theological college is to be built. This is the second payment, $2,300 having been paid, and about $1,300 being yet due. The college will be built by the Georgia conferences of the African Methodist church, and it is hoped to start it next year.

The Death of Rev. Frank Quarles.—The congregation of Friendship Baptist church (colored) was shocked yesterday with a telegram announcing that Frank Quarles, their beloved pastor, had died suddenly on Saturday in New York, where he was visiting his son. Mr. Quarles was one of the best known colored preachers in the country, and was a man of commanding and pleasant appearance, and led an upright and useful life. He has been in charge of the Friendship church for sixteen years, and built the building it now occupies. His body was due here yesterday or last night, and the funeral will probably take place to day.

A Lost Boy.—When the Georgia passenger train arrived in Atlanta Sunday evening, there was aboard a small white boy who gives his name as Archie Powers, and his home as Augusta. Just before the train left Augusta the child, who is about eight years of age, was placed in charge of Conductr Brannon, with the request that he would see him safely delivered to his uncle, who would meet him at the car-shed in this city. After the train reached Atlanta and it was ascertained that the uncle had failed to call for the child, a thorough search was made for him, but without success, and the little fellow was taken to police headquarters, where he will remain until to-day, when he will be returned to Augusta and to his parents, if they can be found. By some it is thought that this is a first-class case of desertion, while those who converse with the little fellow are equally certain that his uncle has failed to call for him on account of his not knowing of his presence in Atlanta.

A Card.—To the Editors Constitution: I find that a report has been in circulation for some days to the effect that I have withdrawn or would withdraw from the race for councilman for first ward. This report was put in circulation by my opponents or their friends. I desire to say that there is no truth in the report whatever. I am in the race, and shall continue in it until the polls shall close on election day. There have also been some contradictory reports and doubts expressed as to my position upon the present cow law. I have no desire to deceive any one, or to even mislead any one in regard to my position upon any question that may come before the next council; and in order that no one may possibly misunderstand me, I say now and for all time that it would be a standing disgrace to the city of Atlanta to allow cows roaming at will upon the public streets. I am no chronic office seeker, as the people of this city know, and I do not propose to be on the fence on any question that interests the public good. Very respectfully, J. Olin Clariday.

Billee Taylor.—Solomon & Stephens's comic opera "Billee Taylor" was performed by Ford's English opera company at DeGive's opera house last night to a large and enthusiastic audience. It was given in the most acceptable manner. Miss Lucette, Miss Stembler, Miss McHenry, Miss Downs, Messrs. Fitzgerald, Lang, Rennie, Hagendorp and Jones not only demonstrated a proper conception of the characters they represented, but also rendered them with much good taste. The opera is bright, witty and a pure bit of fun. With the amusing dialogue, attractive music and original plot, "Billee Taylor" is quite a success in the hands of this company. The musical gems, sprightly situations connected with the drilling of the chorus made the evening's entertainment delightfully pleasant. We have not space to mention the agreeable tenor, Mr Lang, who ably filled the title role. Or to Miss Lucette, whose round, full voice, as well as her playing, made charming her "Phoebe Farleigh." Nor to Mr. Hogendorp, whose "Schoolmaster" elicited much amusement. Nor the sprightly "Arabella," of Miss Stembler. The chorus is well drilled, and rendered clever musical parts in the most acceptable manner.

To-night the company will produce "The Mascotte," and should receive, as they richly merit, a most generous patronage.

Receiving Stolen Goods.—For the past few days a young white man who gives his name as William Ritchu has been detained at police headquarters. The charge upon which the detention is based is receiving stolen goods. On Saturday last Ritchu was arrested for peddling without license, and when taken to the station house so much jewelry was found in his possession that Chief Connolly became satisfied that his case needed investigation. Soon after the order for his detention had been issued by the chief indications of Ritchu's association with other parties were obtained and several arrests and hauls made. By these arrests a half bushel of jewelry was brought to the station house. It consisted of rings, watches, watch cases, charms, chains, pins, etc. Among the jewelry was some that was stolen from Major Ransom's house a few days ago, and this further convinced Chief Connolly that his judgement was good. Two fine single-case gold watches, two handsome gold lockets, a beautiful college badge, and several rings are in the lot that now await identification. Ritchu claims to be a peddler and says that he buys and sells, and late yesterday evening caused the arrest of a party from whom, he says, he purchased the articles stolen from Major Ranson. Chief Connolly is investigating the case thoroughly, and if there is anything wrong with Richu he will surely find it out.

Music Ahead.—It had been supposed in our city that with the breaking up of the old musical societies all interest in the art had passed away. This is a mistake. True, in its best artistic forms, music enjoyed quite a period of high consideration and cultivation, yet this art generally was not so encouraged as it should be. This season there is a marked improvement in the audiences that assemble at DeGive's opera house; it is no longer a select coterie of dilettanti who patronize operas and concerts, but the community at large. Our people have not such a relish for minstrel performances and circuses as formerly, but are growing in an appreciation of the beauties of musical composition—now take pleasure in poetic and elevating harmonic combinations.

Ford's English opera company now occupy DeGive's opera house. After the charming 'Mascotte," will give us "Patience," with its subtle humor, its delicate art and its sharp wit. Then "The Musketeer," the bright, new comic opera of Varney.

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Station House Points.—Kit Chelsee is booked for larceny after trust.

Oscar Carter is confined for larceny after trust.

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Station House Keeper Spyers is still very sick. He will leave for Florida as soon as his condition will permit.

Library Dots.—The number of visitors daily is about 300. Every stranger in the city should visit the Young Men's library.

The young men of Atlanta deserve credit for building up such a serviceable institution.

The board of directors meet Tuesday evening, the 6th instant, at 7:30 o'clock.

Personal.—Mrs. A. C. Billups and daughter are visiting friends and relatives in Montgomery, Ala.

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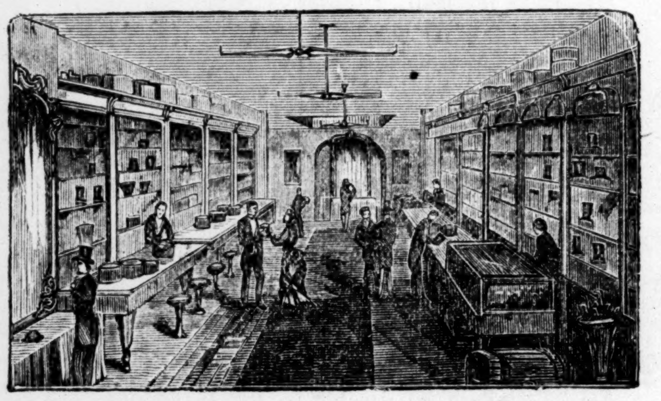

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Among them will be found the latest designs in Wilton's, moquets, body brussels, tapestry and ingrains, which, for beauty and style, cannot be surpassed by any house in the south.

Our stock of wall papers and ceiling decorations is the most complete and extensive ever brought to this market.

In our upholstering department we employ none but the most skilled workmen, and guarantee work equal in finish to any turned out in New York city.

We are determined not to be undersold and invite an inspection of our stock, feeling confident we can make it to your interest to purchase from us.

CARTER & SOLOMON,
50 WHITEHALL STREET
332 sep11—d3m 7thp top 5th&6th col

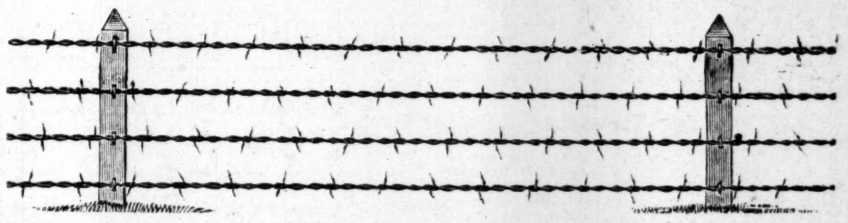
CLOTHING AND FURNISHING GOODS.

Buyers of Clothing and Furnishing Goods should examine our immense stock of Ulsters, Ulsterettes, Reversibles and Dress Overcoats in heavy and light weights.

Business Suits, Dress Suits, Plain and Fancy Underwear, Fancy and White Shirts, Collars, Cuffs, Half-hose, Neckwear, etc. E. & W. Collars.

ANDREWS, HITCH & CO.,
16 Whitehall street.
sep30 d3m—5th or 7th p

PATENT STEEL-BARB FENCING,
GALVANIZED, PAINTED OR JAPANNED.



The best and cheapest fence for Railroads, Farmers, and Stock Raisers. It is Proof against Flood, Wind or Fire. It cannot be easily torn down and stolen. It assures protection against all trespassers, reachy mules and sheep-killing dogs included.

WASHBURN & MOEN MANUFACTURING COMPANY,
WORCESTER, MASSACHUSETTS.
NEW YORK WAREHOUSE 21 CLIFF STREET.
See machine manufacturing this fence in east wing of Main Building at the Cotton Exposition.
Send for a circular. THOS. M. CLARKE & CO., AGENTS,
157 dec4 d1w ATLANTA, GA.

GAS AND OIL FIXTURES, LAMPS, ETC.

VISITORS TO THE ATLANTA EXPOSITION
ARE INVITED TO STOP AT THE EXHIBIT OF
McHENRY & CO., OF CINCINNATI,
And examine the beautiful specimens of the new and elegant designs of
GAS FIXTURES, OIL FIXTURES AND PARLOR LAMPS.
Their display is one of the most attractive at the Exposition and will not fail to interest the visitors who may spare a few minutes in the examination of the many
USEFUL AND ORNAMENTAL THINGS
n their line, that they have contributed from the extensive salesrooms of their Cincinnati House.
Their representative will be in attendance and take pleasure in giving visitors information in regard to the goods in their exhibit.
STAND IN THE CENTRE OF THE ART BUILDING.
Their representative is now in this city and can be reached by any communications left at their tand. nov16—d1m wed sat tues

DR. HARTERS' IRON TONIC.

DR. HARTER'S
Endorsed and recommended by the medical profession, for Dyspepsia, General Debility, Female Diseases, Want of Vitality, Nervous Prostration, and Convalescence from Fevers, &c.

Gentlemen: I was suffering from general debility to such an extent that my labor was exceedingly burdensome to me. A vacation of a month did not give me much relief, but on the contrary, was followed by increased prostration and sinking chills. At this time I began the use of your Iron Tonic, from which I realized almost immediate and wonderful results. The old energy returned and I found that my natural force was not permanently abated. I have used three bottles of the Tonic. Since using it I have done twice the labor that I ever did in the same time during my illness, and with double the ease. With the tranquil nerve and vigor of body, has come also a clearness of thought never before enjoyed. If the Tonic has not done the work, I know not what. I give it the credit. J. P. Watson, Pastor Christian Church, Troy, O.

The Iron Tonic is a preparation of Protoxide of Iron, Peruvian Bark, and Phosphates, associated with the Vegetable Aromatics. It serves every purpose where a Tonic is necessary.

IRON TONIC.

MANUFACTURED THE DR. HARTER MEDICINE CO., NO. 213 NORTH MAIN STREET, ST. LOUIS.
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WILLIMANTIC SPOOL COTTON.

'AMERICA STILL AHEAD!"
WHY IS
WILLIMANTIC
THE BEST THREAD FOR SEWING MACHINES.

ASK THE JUDGES AT THE
Centennial Exposition, 1876.
Pittsburg Exposition, 1876--7--8 and '79.
St. Louis Exposition, 1877.
American Institute, New York, 1878.
Maryland Institute, Baltimore, 1878.
Cincinnati Exposition, 1879.

ASK ANYBODY WHO HAS EVER USED
WILLIMANTIC SIX CORD SPOOL COTTON,
Or Go to the Exposition and See for Yourself.
oct15 dtf

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.

RESIDENCES IN ATLANTA, ANY SIZE AND LOCATION. FARMS NEAR ATLANTA AND IN ANY PORTION OF GEORGIA. MILLS NEAR ATLANTA. VACANT LAND IN AND NEAR ATLANTA

FRIERSON & LEAK,
REAL ESTATE AGENTS, 33 MARIETTA STREET
oct21—dtf

CHAMBERLIN BOYNTON & CO.

MAGNIFICENT DISPLAY
DRESS GOODS, CLOAKS. JACKETS, ULSTERS.

CARPETS! CARPETS!!

BOOTS AND SHOES.

NOVELTIES IN EVERY DEPARTMENT, JUST RECEIVED AT THE MAMMOTH STORE OF THE SOUTH.

CHAMBERLIN, BOYNTON & CO.
66 AND 68 WHITEHALL STREET, 1 TO 15 HUNTER STREET.
ALSO AGENTS BUTTERRICK'S PATTERNS

CHANCE TO MAKE MONEY.

Does the water in your town or city need Filtering? If so, go at once to McBride & Co's and secure right to manufacture the "Gate City Stone Water Filter." Without a doubt it is the best Filterer in the world. Every Druggist and Liquor Dealer must have one.
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COTTON AND WEATHER.

COTTON, middling uplands closed in Liverpool yesterday, at 6 11-16d; in New York, at 12⅝c; Atlanta at 11¼c.

The Weather.

The Signal Service Bureau report indicates for Georgia to-day, fair weather, northerly winds, becoming variable, stationary or higher temperature, stationary barometer.

Daily Weather Report.

OBSERVER'S OFFICE, SIGNAL CORPS, U. S. A., KIMBALL HOUSE, December 5, 10:31, P. M.
[All observations taken at the same moment of actual time.]

NAME OF STATION.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Dew Point.	WIND. Direction.	WIND. Force.	Rainfall.	Weather
Atlanta	30.35	48	44	E.	Gent.	.00	Clear.
Augusta	30.39	47	...	N. E.	Light	00	Clear.
Galveston	30.31	58	52	S. E.	Fresh	.00	Fair.
Indianola	30.31	60	52	E.	Light	.00	Fair.
Key West	30.39	73	...	N.	Fresh	.00	Clear
Mobile	30.29	51	...	N.	Light	.00	Fair.
Montgomery	30.31	50	46	N.	Light	.00	Clear.
Port Eads	30.29	58	51	N.	Fresh	.00	Fair.
Pensacola	30.30	53	44	N.	Fresh	.00	Clear.
Savannah	30.32	49	...	N. E.	Fresh	.00	Clear.
Palestine	30.3?	51	41	E.	Light	.00	Fair.

NOTE—FORCE OF WIND: Light, 1 to 2 miles per hour, inclusive; Gentle, 2 to 5, inclusive; Fresh, 9 to 14 inclusive; Brisk, 15 to 29, inclusive; High, 30 to 39, inclusive.

Local Weather Report.

ATLANTA, GA., December 5, 1881.

TIME.	Barometer.	Thermometer.	Dew Point.	WIND. Direction.	WIND. Force.	Rainfall.	Weather
6:31 a. m.	30.30	43	38	N. W.	Fresh	00	Cloudy.
10:31 "	30.37	50	46	N. W.	Gent	.00	Cloudy.
2:00 p. m.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
2:31 "	30.34	49	43	N. E.	Fresh	.00	Cloudy.
6:31 "	30.36	48	41	E.	Fresh	.00	Clear.
10:31 "	30.35	48	44	E.	Gent	00	Clear.

Mean daily bar	30.334	Maximum ther	55.0
Mean daily ther	47.0	Minimum ther	43.0
Mean daily humid	52.0	Total rainfall	.00

H. HALL, Sergeant Signal Corps, U. S. A.

EXPOSITION FACTS.

THE FINEST DISPLAY OF ELECTRO, GOLD and SILVER-PLATED WARE is the one of the MERIDEN BRITANNIA CO. in the ART BUILDING, up-stairs. These goods can be bought of A. F. PICKERT, No. 5 Whitehall street, near the railroad crossing.

The best selected stock of DIAMONDS, WATCHES and JEWELRY can be found at No. 5 Whitehall street. A. F. PICKERT.

The MERIDEN BRITANNIA CO.'S ELECTRO GOLD and SILVER-PLATED WARE is the finest in the world. A. F. PICKERT, SOUTHERN HEADQUARTERS.

Just received a large stock of SOLID SILVER WARE, at bottom prices. A. F. PICKERT.

A beautiful selection of FINE LAMPS, suitable for BRIDAL and CHRISTMAS PRESENTS, will be found at THE SILVER PALACE, No. 5 Whitehall street.

Vistors to the city should not fail to see THE SILVER PALACE OF A. F. PICKERT, No. 5 WHITEHALL STREET.
dec5—dtf 8thp 1st col

MEETINGS.

[Notices of meetings, not exceeding ten lines, will be inserted under this head for one dollar.]

Georgia State Agricultural Society.

All members of the Georgia state agricultural society, and of subordinate societies, are requested to meet in the judges' hall, on the exposition ground, this morning at 10 o'clock.
E. C. GRIER, Secretary.
THOMAS HARDEMAN, Jr., President.

All who are interested in the National planters' and farmers' association, will please assemble at the gentlemen's parlor, Markham house, at 11 a.m., to-day, and repair to the exposition ground in a body.
M. A. HARDIN, Chairman.

The next invention Edison is to attempt is a machine that will keep a woman's eyes closed during prayer time in church when a friend in the pew in front has a new bonnet. Then one to crystalize the fragrance from Blackwell's pure, mild, mellow and sweet cigarettes.

We have just received some beautiful Table Linens, Napkins and Towels in sets for the holidays. They are all marked in plain selling figures, much under regular price. M. RICH & BRO.
183 dec4 sun tues sun

Local Notes

—W. G. Browne, Dentist, 33½ Whitehall street.
sep28—dtf

—Why suffer the aches and pains of Rheumatism when so safe and permanent a remedy as Hunnicutt's Rheumatic Cure is at your door? Call at Hutchison's and get a bottle—it will cure you sure.
86 feb13 tf—sun tues thur

—The Victor Baby Food. Only true substitute for mother's milk.
feb3—d1y thurs sun tues

Coffee drinkers should read the advertisement in another column headed Good Coffee.
dec6—d1aw4w tues 8thp

We have another supply of Fur Trimmings and Beavers, of Dolmans and Jackets.
183 dec4 sun tues sun M. RICH & BRO.

Skinny Men

"Wells's Health Renewer," greatest remedy on earth for impotence, leanness, sexual debility, etc. $1, at druggists. Depot Lamar, Rankin & Lamar, Atlanta

HOLIDAY goods are all opened at M. Rich & Bro Come in time and avoid the rush.
183 dec4 sun tues sun

Frierson & Leak will sell at the court house to-day the Doyle and Eiswald estates. Call for plat at the office, and attend the sale at 10 o'clock. dec6 1t

We have too many Dolman's and are determined not to carry any of them over this season. Price is no object; they must be sold. M. RICH & BRO.
183 dec4 sun tues sun.

Something for Gentlemen.

We have the Rubber Mud Spurs that will protect your pants from wearing out and getting muddy. Price only 25c. M. RICH & BRO.
183 dec4 sun tues sun

"Charley, come here; what is that in your pocket, my son?" "Mother, it's only a package of Blackwell's Cigarettes. They won't hurt us. We have tried all kinds, and these are the only kind we boys can smoke and puff the smoke out our nose like the men. It don't burn, sting and strangle us like the other cigarettes, they are so mild and sweet; try one, mother."

New and beautiful Neckwear, Silver Jewelry Belts and Pockets just received at M. Rich & Bro.
183 decisun tues sun

Don't fail to attend the sale of the Doyle and Eiswald estates at the court house, at 10 o'clock to-day.
dec6 1t FRIERSON & LEAK.

ULSTERETTES AND OVERCOATS

IN BEAVERS,
CHINCHILLAS.
MELTONS, ETC.
HANDSOMEST SYLES,
SUPERIOR MAKE,
PRICES BEYOND COMPETITION
AT

HIRSCH BROS.,

42 AND 44 WHITEHALL STREET, ATLANTA.
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CLOTHING!

IN ALL STYLES AND QUALITY FROM MEDIUM TO THE FINEST FOR

MEN'S, YOUTHS AND BOYS',

AT THE LOWEST POSSIBLE PRICES.

A FULL LINE OF GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS.

Please call and examine goods and prices, as we intend to make it to your interest. Respectfully,

A. & S. ROSENFELD.

sep21—d3m 8thp un ga suit co

Highest Authority in the World.

After having carefully analyzed Blackwell's Fragrant Bull Durham Smoking Tobacco and Cigarettes Dr. Augustus Vloecker, agriculturist and consulting chemist to her majesty, the queen, says: It is the purest and healthiest tobacco known to commerce.

W. H. BROTHERTON'S SHOES!

His Shoe department is unusually attractive. He keeps the very best goods in Ladies', Misses and Children's. His Gents' and Boys' boots and shoes are kept down stairs, where you can find anything you may wish at

W. H. BROTHERTON'S.

Worthy and Truthful Man.

MACON, Ga., June 21, 1881.—Dear Sir: For about eight months I was afflicted with the nettle-rash very severely. Had used all sorts of remedies, and was treated by physicians without receiving any benefit. Less than one package of Sanodine made a perfect cure.
Respectfully, VOLIA WHITE.

Volia White has been employed in this office for ten years. He is a worthy and truthful man. Besides, we are aware of his affliction, which he says was cured by using Sanodine. A. W. REESE,
Of Telegraph and Messenger Pub. Co.
dec4—d1w

Buckwheat Flour and Oat Meal at A. B. CLARK'S.
dec3—d1w

W. H. BROTHERTON'S 5c COUNTER!

Is the great wonder of the age. Tin and Glassware, Knives and Forks, Spoons, and over one thousand articles that sell in a regular way in other houses for 25c. If you want bargains go to the 5c Counter at

W. H. BROTHERTON'S.

Go and see those lovely Walking Jackets at Dougherty's. It will do you good even if you don't buy.

LOOKOUT MOUNTAIN,

(The Grandest Scenery Anywhere.)

Chickamauga, Mission Ridge, etc.

VISITORS TO THE EXPOSITION WHO FAIL to take in these famous places will have missed a strong feature of Southern attractions.

Stop at the Stanton House, the Palace Hotel of the South, Chattanooga, Tenn. dec2 d1w—8p

FURNITURE.

ANDREW J. MILLER,

42 & 44 PEACHTREE ST.

Music Stands.
Ladies' Desks.
New lot Wardrobes, Sideboards, etc.
Cheaper than the Cheapest.
nov9—d3m 8thp

BANANAS! BANANAS! BANANAS!
Car of choice Bananas just in and cheap at A. B. CLARK'S.
dec3—d1w

Three Dollars Invested Profitably.

A jolly Alsatian named Max Schmidt, of No. 440 West 32d street, New York city, keeps a well patronized saloon—of him the inquisitive interviewer in a New York paper reports that feeling the cares of providing for his future welfare a burden after thirty-two years struggle in America, he determined to invest one dollar in the October 13th drawing of the Louisiana state lottery, by sending to M. A. Dauphin, New Orleans, Louisiana, and his confidence was rewarded with his getting for ticket No. 7,240, at once $15,000. The same interviewer at the Chemical bank met a Mr. John C. Dieffenbach of West street, and he had in similar manner for No. 56,939 received $5,000, all for one dollar. He also ran across Mr. Alex. Urias, of No. 54½ Division street, a cigar dealer, who for No. 99,538 had drawn $2,955, through Adams express company. The next—139th—grand semi-annual drawing will take place at New Orleans on December 13th, under the sole management of Generals G. T. Beauregard, of Louisiana, and Jubal A. Early, of Virginia, when over a half a million will be scattered among the lucky ones—perhaps the reader may cut it fat. Who knows?
dec6d&w1t

The Eiswald estate will be sold at the court house to day at 10 o'clock. dec6 1t

DOUGHERTY

Opened Monday, the 5th instant, the prettiest line Ladies' Jackets ever showu in Atlanta. Go and see them.

That big stock of Dolmans, Cloaks, Ulsters and Jackets at M. Rich & Bro.'s must be sold out before the season is over. We have reduced them 25 per cent from the 5th inst. Come now if you want bargains.
183 dec4 sun tues sun

The sale of the Doyle estate will take place to-day at the court house, be sure to attend. dec6 1t

Our fifth stock of ladies and childrens, Knit Underwear received this season will be in this week. Our prices are low and you can safely come and buy. M. RICH & BRO.
183 dec4 sun tues sun

The Eiswald estate will be sold at the court house to-day at 10 o'clock. dec6 1t

Exposition Accommodation.

The crowd in Atlanta is now immense. We need additional accommodations for our visitors. We earnestly urge every citizen who can possibly assist in either sleeping or feeding the crowd, to send a list of the number they can accommodate to J. C. Kimball early this morning, at Shelton's parlor, opposite passenger entrance at depot; that all of the crowd may be comfortably taken care of, we trust every citizen will respond at once. No charge to any one who reports their accommodations.
E. P. CHAMBERLIN, Chairman Committee on Public Comfort.
December 6, 1881.

"Silence in Court," cried the judge, "until I can pronounce Blackwell's Durham Bull Cigarettes the very best on the market. They are pure, mild, mellow and sweet. Try them and you'll find they can't be beat. Such is the decision of this court.

APPLES, ORANGES AND COCOANUTS.

I have a large stock in and to arrive of Michigan Apples, Florida Oranges, Cocoanuts, Lemons, California Pears, Malaga Grapes, Figs, etc. Your early orders solicited by
A. B. CLARK.
dec3—d1w

Planters' and Farmers' Association.

All planters and farmers desiring quarters can be furnished by applying to J. C. Kimball, at "Public Comfort" headquarters, No. 28 Wall street, directly opposite central entrance to passenger depot, or at gentlemen's parlor, Markham house.

Persons desiring to entertain guests, will please register their rooms at public comfort headquarters as above. M. A. HARDIN, Chairman Reception Committee.

W. H. BROTHERTON'S DRESS GOODS, SILKS AND SATINS.

All wool black cashmere very superior goods, 40c.

Beautiful black, colored and striped silks, 50c.

Black satin, a splendid article, 50c.

Colored satins in all colors, handsome goods, 1.00.

An immense stock dress goods in all the latest novelties, at prices that are far below their market value, at

W. H. BROTHERTON'S.

Don't fail to attend the sale of the Doyle and Eiswald estates at the court house, at 10 o'clock to-day.
dec6 1t FRIERSON & LEAK.

Go and see those lovely Walking Jackets at Dougherty's. It will do you good even if you don't buy.

JOHN KEELY'S

GOOD NEWS! GOOD NEWS!

"THE LEADER OF LOW PRICES" ON THE WAR PATH!

RECEIPT OF AN IMMENSE

BANKRUPT STOCK

From New York! This stock, amounting to some $40,000.00, sold by the sheriff, bought by JOHN KEELY at 25 cents on the dollar!

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

Could not advertise it until the goods had come! THEY ARE ALL IN NOW-

While in New York last week I bought for $10,000 CASH, a stock of goods, representing by the stock sheet, $40,000.

I HAVE NOT ROOM TO CARRY THEM!
I WILL SELL THEM OUT AT ONCE!
I BOUGHT THEM SO AS TO BE ABLE TO OFFER BARGAINS.

EVERY DEPARTMENT OF A FIRST-CLASS DRY GOODS STOCK IS REPRESENTED IN THIS BEAUTIFUL STOCK OF GOODS! IT EMBRACES

CLOAKS! DOLMANS! ULSTERS! CIRCULARS & JACKETS

By the hundred! This season's goods. DRESS GOODS in fine variety! SILKS!

PLUSHES! PLUSHES! PLUSHES! SILK VELVETS!
BLACK AND COLORED ALL-WOOL CASHMERES.

Table Linens, all styles. Towels, Napkins, etc. White Goods, Bed Spreads, Comforts, etc.

BLANKETS---IN A FINE LINE.

200 pieces Gray Twilled Flannel---a fearful Bargain!
150 pieces Beautiful Plaid Flannels---all combinations!
Red; White and Blue Flannels---both plain and twilled.

BARGAINS! BARGAINS! BARGAINS! BARGAINS
HOSIERY and GLOVES, all styles. MERINO UNDERWEAR, a superb line.

SHIRTS!

Forty-five hundred dollars worth of SHIRTS, which are very bulky and I can't spare the room. So lookout for a Shirt Boom! "They Must Go!"

SHIRTS AT YOUR OWN PRICE

Shirts almost given away from this lot of goods!

No use to try to enumerate the entire line which this stock represents! It cannot be done! Every cellar of my store, and every spare room up stairs is chuck full of it, and it is going to be sold right away!

THE PRICES ARE SIMPLY RIDICULOUS AT

JOHN KEELY'S.

dec1—dtil sun 8thp

FOR THE NEXT WEEK

JOHN RYAN

—WILL MAKE—

A GRAND DISPLAY

—OF—

FINE CLOAKS

DOLMANS

—AND—

WALKING JACKETS

—AT HIS—

MAMMOTH EMPORIUM

61 Whitehall St.

THE LARGEST AND

FINEST COLLECTION

IN THE SOUTH.

SATIN MERVELEUX CLOAKS, from $50 to $125. ELEGANT DOLMANS at all prices. WALKING JACKETS in the latest and most fashionable styles.

A special drive will be made in

FINE SILKS.

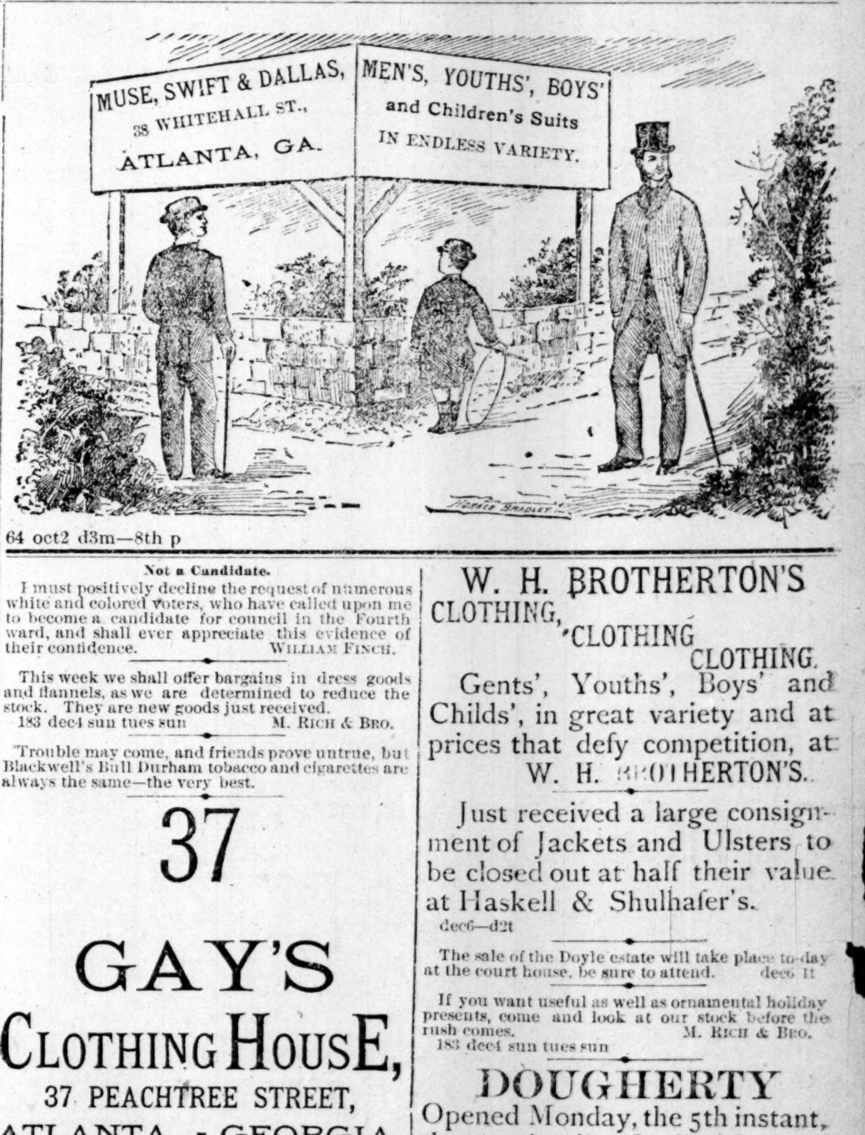
A large importation of Gorgeous Black Silks and fine Colored Morie Antique Silks and Satins just received. For fine goods call on

JOHN RYAN,

For he will certainly make the grandest display for the next few days ever witnessed in the southern states.

JOHN RYAN,

61 WHITEHALL ST.



64 oct2 d3m—8th p

Not a Candidate.

I must positively decline the request of numerous white and colored voters, who have called upon me to become a candidate for council in the Fourth ward, and shall ever appreciate this evidence of their confidence. WILLIAM FINCH.

This week we shall offer bargains in dress goods and flannels, as we are determined to reduce the stock. They are new goods just received.
183 dec4 sun tues sun M. RICH & BRO.

"Trouble may come, and friends prove untrue, but Blackwell's Bull Durham tobacco and cigarettes are always the same—the very best.

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GAY'S CLOTHING HOUSE,

37 PEACHTREE STREET,
ATLANTA, - GEORGIA.

WE MAKE A SPECIALTY OF

FINE CLOTHING

We cannot be excelled, if equaled, by any

CLOTHING HOUSE

in the State, in MAKE UP, FIT, STYLE AND ELEGANCE of our CLOTHING.

In these particulars, we compete with the best merchant tailors, and sell at prices 33 per cent lower.
A. O. M. GAY & CO.,
37 Peachtree street.

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830 oct16 d3m—8th p

DOUGHERTY

Opened Monday, the 5th instant, the prettiest line Ladies' Jackets ever shown in Atlanta. Go and see them.

W. H. BROTHERTON'S

CLOTHING,
CLOTHING
CLOTHING.

Gents', Youths', Boys' and Childs', in great variety and at prices that defy competition, at W. H. BROTHERTON'S.

Just received a large consignment of Jackets and Ulsters to be closed out at half their value at Haskell & Shulhafer's.
dec6—d2t

The sale of the Doyle estate will take place to-day at the court house, be sure to attend. dec6 1t

If you want useful as well as ornamental holiday presents, come and look at our stock before the rush comes. M. RICH & BRO.
183 dec4 sun tues sun

DOUGHERTY

Opened Monday, the 5th instant, the prettiest line Ladies' Jackets ever shown in Atlanta. Go and see them.

Dried Beef, Bologha Sausage, Cranberries, Navy Beans, Currents, Prunes, Citron, Nuts, etc., at A. B. CLARK'S, 17 Alabama street.
dec3—d1w

THE OLD RELIABLE.

Coal Creek Coal never fails to give satisfaction. Plenty of Glen Mary at same price as Coal Creek. Also genuine Aldrich Montevallo, Anthracite, Wood and Kindling.

Full stocks of all the above at popular prices.
J. C. KIMBALL,
11 Alabama st., 69 Peachtree st. and 72 Marietta st.
dec4tf—sun tues thur sat sun

W. H. BROTHERTON'S

MILLINERY
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Presided over by Mrs. B. Lyon. The finest retail millinery establishment south of Baltimore, at W. H. BROTHERTON'S.